

Boys Fight for Life of Dying Bird



Three Oak Bay lads found a new use for detergents yesterday when they tried to save the life of one of the 5,000 birds dying from starvation after they were caught in the thick oil scum along Greater Victoria beaches. Oil-soaked duck was washed in suds and fresh water by, left to right, Richard Lewis, Ron

Pinfold and Robert Watt at Richard's home, 2985 Foul Bay Road, and the boys have been feeding it brandy since then to keep it alive. Other people are washing dying birds with margarine before using soap, but only a few are being saved and most of those stricken have been killed. (See Page 19.)

Adrift 6,400 Miles

Sinking Raft
New Danger
For Voyager

This is the 12th in a series of articles by William Willis, 61-year-old New Yorker who sailed alone on a raft 6,400 miles across the Pacific from Peru to Pago Pago. Today: the raft is getting water-logged.

BY WILLIAM WILLIS

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NEW YORK (NANA)—For several days there had been heavy weather, but now it had eased and I could check something that worried me.

It had been a suspicion that grew into a doubt and then reached a state of real concern. It was a problem that dated back to the time, months ago, when I was searching the jungles of Ecuador for giant balsa trees and talking with the natives about such things as the right moon for cutting and the comparative advantages of machos and hambres.

After the long westerly crossing of the open Pacific, I was now bearing southwesterly, having pivoted around the Marquesas—a significant event. It was now September 15. I was about 130 miles from Flint Island and running into new conditions.

The month had started with a storm, and the fish had vanished gradually from the sea. But as at least partial compensation, I knew that on September 5 I had passed the meridian reached by the magnificent Kon-Tiki expedition of 1947, and still sailing on, had begun to move among the far-flung islands on the long southerly sweep I would make to reach Samoa—1,300 miles away.

Logs Gravest Worry

I went to the bow and looked down at the logs: they were my greatest present worry. I could see them plainly, their slightly pointed ends riding the surface easily. They were covered with green seaweed. It was as I had feared. They were low in the water; much lower than they should be.

I'd check; perhaps there

Psychiatrist
Found Slain

CHESTER, Pa. (AP)—Dr. Elinor Marjorie Langton, 52, a prominent Philadelphia psychiatrist, was found beaten to death Saturday on the floor of her automobile.

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Fawn-Colored Monster off Albert Head

Fishermen Get Close-Up Look at Caddy

"When I told my wife we'd seen the bottom, of course, so I felt no sudden doubt or fear,

there was something new to reckon with."

I

had studied balsas quite thoroughly while searching the jungle for my Seven Little Sisters. I had spoken to many people about the wood's capabilities, especially woodcutters and the balseros—the men who float the logs

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"It's the first time I've seen anything like it," Mr. Daley said. "I was sitting in the back of the boat and it was coming toward us when I first saw it about 400 or 500 yards away."

I said, "There's a whale."

"It bobbed up and down four or five times. As it came toward us I thought it had a head like a shark, sort of a pointed jaw. Its head was about two or three feet wide."

"When it turned toward the shore

"We got a side view and it looked more like a frog's head in shape, bulges on top. We were only about 150 feet away the last time it went under."

"Its head was about three feet out of the water. From its neck, there was about five or six feet under the water, then another big bump. Just like an animal swimming."

"At first it looked black, but up close it was fawn color and very sleek."

"It went down the last time near a lot of kelp. It didn't go down like a whale on exercise. The last

time it went down at the same time, not in a rolling motion."

"It had a thick neck, without much taper from the jaw down."

"If we'd had a camera, we had plenty of time to get a picture."

"Caddyrosaurus didn't drive the fish away. The two fishermen came home with two spring salmon weighing 10 or 12 pounds, five grilse and a cod."

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May Regain Lost PrestigeU.S. Jets on Way
To Trouble Centre

WASHINGTON (AP) — Government officials said Saturday night the United States is flying "around" six jet fighter planes to Panama immediately to be ready in case of an armed attack on neighboring Costa Rica.

The swift U.S. action was taken at the height of rapidly increasing rumors of a plot to overthrow Costa Rican President Jose Figueres.

The U.S. officials hope that this will demonstrate the United States intends to live up to its treaty commitments to keep hemisphere peace and might dissuade any would-be attackers.

By Dulles, Mendes-France

New Soviet Move
Quickly Rejected

WASHINGTON (AP) — French Premier Mendes-France and Secretary of State Dulles turned down swiftly Saturday a move by Soviet Foreign Minister Molotov to delay ratification of German rearmament by the western powers. Instead they called for "early ratification" by all the allies before any new conferences with Russia.

Molotov offered to postpone the Russian-proposed all-European conference on collective security if the Western Powers hold up ratification on the Paris agreements on rearming West Germany.

He coupled the offer with a warning that the Soviet Union and the "peace-loving European states" would take countermeasures for their own security if the West persists in bringing West Germany into the Atlantic Defense Alliance—a move which he said poses the "threat of a new war."

Dulles and Mendes-France declared themselves against "improvised debates intended mainly for propaganda," an obvious slap at Moscow, but expressed willingness to join in "adequately prepared negotiations" in good faith.

Dulles and Mendes-France prolonged their talks here long enough to have a quick look at news reports of the proposal. They decided there was nothing in it worth serious consideration.

Oakalla Fugitives
Tracked by Dog

MISSION, B.C. (CP)—Bobby, an RCMP trail dog, Saturday led police to two men hours after being put on the scent.

Captured were Lawrence Corbett and Russell V. Patterson, who escaped from Oakalla's prison farm near Vancouver on Thursday.

They dropped from sight until Saturday, when they were spotted in a stolen car at Penitentiary at New Westminster.

Old Harem Hand

Blond Actress
Pines for Sheikh

ROME (UP)—Actress Valerie Vernon said yesterday she is anxious to meet the "Little Sheik" from Kuwait who wants to marry a blonde and that Paris or Casablanca would be fine for a rendezvous—just as long as mother comes along.

Millionaire Izzat Gaafar, chief year-old British-American movie actress. "And look at the hair—rich Kuwait, said recently he's blonde."

"I suggest we meet in Paris or even Casablanca," Miss Vernon said, adding: "Naturally, I will have to be chaperoned properly—that means my mother will come along with me."

Miss Vernon, whose vital statistics are 39-24-37, said she has done so many Hollywood harem scenes that she is sure she could be at home with the lone-some desert sheikh.

"I'll wear a veil," said the 28-year-old actress. "My mother will have to be chaperoned properly—that means my mother will come along with me."

"I've played so many harem roles in Hollywood that I don't bother me the least bit. Besides, you only use them to keep other men from getting a good look. Once you're home, the old man whips it right off," she said.

Perfect
For Gifts

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Auditorium Still Vital Need For 'Big Shows' in Victoria

BY IAN MACDONALD

Victoria Kinsmen have shelved the idea of an auditorium and recreational centre, but surely the scheme must appeal to some other group or commercial interests.

It's too vital an issue to be tabled and discussed "at some future date" as the Kinsmen have decided.

A lot of entertainment is bypassing Victoria because of lack of facilities. The Royal Theatre seats only 1,400, while the old York Theatre holds less than a thousand.

The local ice palace is working to capacity, and in any case the management shows a marked reluctance to lift the ice. Central Junior High School auditorium can accommodate about 1,800 people, but the seating is poor.

Famous Artists officials report they don't make much from their Victoria concerts, although they keep coming back. But the big names in the entertainment world cost a lot of money, and by the time they get here the ticket price is nearly out of reach of the average person.

A 2,600-seat auditorium, as was discussed by the Kinsmen, would nearly fill the bill. It could be used for everything from concerts to large dances, ballroom space for larger functions also being at a premium here.

Now that the idea has been batted about, it would be sad to see it die a natural death.

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Back in the Gilbert and Sullivan Society lineup after three years spent in Toronto and Vancouver is Dianne Clifford.

She will appear as the vivacious May Queen in the group's production of "Merrie England," November 29, 30 and December 1 at the Royal Theatre.

Miss Clifford played four seasons with Theatre Under the Stars in Vancouver, and had roles in "Brigadoon" and "Oklahoma."

Stage direction of "Merrie England" will be handled by Mickey Francis, with Charles Ozard in charge of the music department.

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Tuesday's concert by Victoria Big Band Jazz Society could be the last. Leader Gordie King sadly stated after the public stayed away from the last show that the non-profit organization has been steadily losing money, but would make one last stand.

Singing-group Betts and Her Buddies will be featured in the show along with a 18-piece, all-star band. The program starts at 8:30 p.m. at Victoria Ballroom.

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A modest 50 cents is the admission price to a variety concert being held Friday night at Emmanuel Hall, at Gladstone and Fernwood. A. G. Bowbyes states proceeds will go to the Boy Scouts, Cubs, and Canadian Girls in Training.

Curtain time for the show, which features singers, dancers, musicians and other entertainers, is 8 p.m.

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Victoria Arts Centre is presenting its second winter anthology of the arts Wednesday night. Items on the program range from recorded guitar music by Segovia to "a short talk on cubism." The public is invited to attend, and proceedings get under way at 8:30.

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Also at 8:30 p.m., Wednesday, is the November concert by Victoria Musical Arts Society at the Club Sirocco.

The artists will be contempo Margaret Myles from Tacoma, and Dr. T. Harry Johns, baritone.

Miss Myles, a faculty member of the music department

of the College of Puget Sound, has appeared here with Vic



DIANNE, CLIFFORD

toria Choral Society. Her program Wednesday will include songs by Purcell and Handel, and a group of French songs and spirituals.

Dr. John, soloist with Metropolitan choir, will sing arias from Bach's Christmas Oratorio and "The Creation" by Hayden. His program will include a group of Lieder from the works of Schubert, Schumann, Brahms and Franz.

He will be accompanied by Mrs. Grace Timp. Accompanist for Miss Myles will be Malcolm Hamilton.

"A Woman's World," a technicolor comedy-drama, is being previewed tonight at the Odeon Theatre. Public release is slated November 30. Admittance is by invitation only.

The movie stars Clifton Webb, Fred MacMurray, June Allyson, Arlene Dahl, Van Heflin and Cornel Wilde.

FORT Langley, B.C. (CP) This riverside point, the birthplace of British Columbia, became the capital of the province again Friday night as pioneers gathered to mark B.C.'s 96th anniversary.

It was November 19, 1858, within the log walls of a stockade, that New Caledonia, the Crown colony, ceased to exist and British Columbia was born.

Friday night, beside a replica of those stockade walls, celebrants gathered for a Douglas Day banquet celebration. Sir James Douglas was B.C.'s first governor.

There were speeches and toasts by political and civic leaders, but the main guests were the men and women who have actually lived the history of the province.

REAL PIONEERS

These were the pioneers who knew old Fort Langley when the Indian dugout canoe was

the main form of Fraser River transportation. Bill and Bob Morrison, who still remember the fur traders and gold-seekers, were also in attendance.

Alex Hope, chairman of the Fort Langley Restoration Society, in a speech to the gathering, said it would cost an estimated \$250,000 to restore the fort to its 1858 condition.

"This is not a Fort Langley project," he said. "It is a British Columbia project and we need help from all the people of the province."

Chief Alfred Gabriel, who has lived in the area for 61 years, attended with his wife.

They all reminisced on the days when, with gold-hungry miners moving into the area, Sir James moved the capital of the Crown colony to Fort Langley from Victoria.

Iron ore now represents about 25 per cent of all Swedish exports to the United States.

Crash Kills Leadership Candidate

REGINA (CP) — A plane crashed into a field just east of morning for Swift Current to address a provincial Liberal constituency meeting.

His death may tone down the leadership convention November 25 to 27 after violent

Mr. Hood, a wealthy business man from the northeastern town of Yorkton to Regina. His son, Gardner, is interfering in selection of a new leader.

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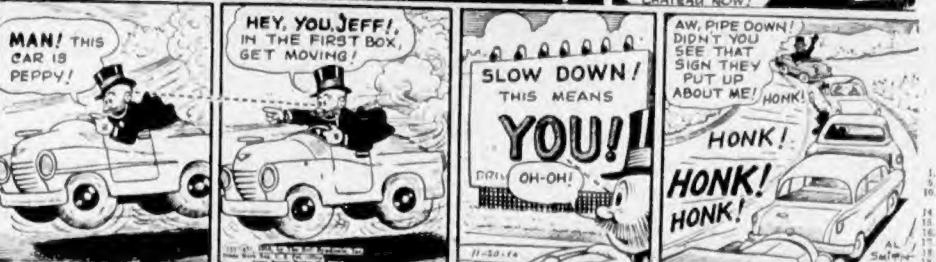
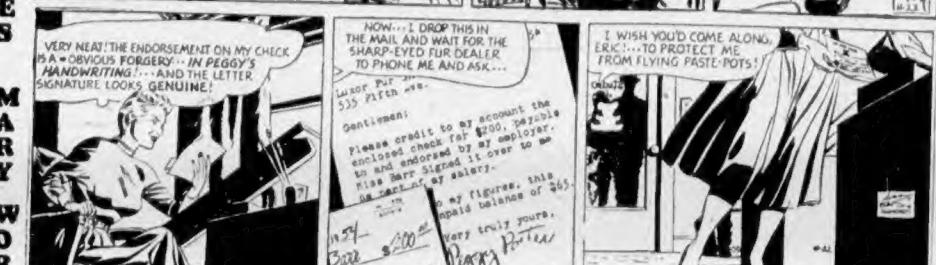
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Winning Contract

and Richard L. Frey
By Howard Schenken

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South dealer

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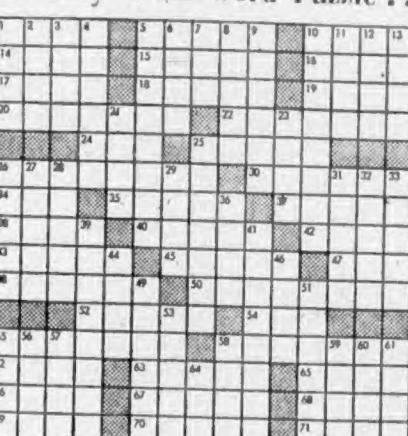
The bidding:

SOUTH	WEST	NORTH	EAST
1 ♦	Pass	1 ♦	Pass
2 ♦	Pass	2 N.T.	Pass
3 ♦	Pass	4 ♦	Pass

What would you do if you held the South hand? You might pass, and make the contract, but if you bid five diamonds you haven't a chance of avoiding a loser in each suit other than hearts, unless the opponents are silly enough to lead a spade away from the King. However, if you have an eye to the main chance, you'll bid four hearts, despite the knowledge that your partner has only a four-card suit.

This hand is taken from a somewhat unusual kind of bridge book we have just received for review. It is called "The Bridge Life of the American Male," and if it is considerably less scientific in its approach than the somewhat similarly styled opus presented by Dr. Kinsey, it is rather breezier in style and considerably lower in price (\$3, Pageant Press). Since statistics indicate that most bridge books are purchased by women, it remains to be seen whether author William A. Larson has chosen his title wisely. Perhaps it may intrigue women players to peep inside, and, if so, what they learn will do them no harm because bridge, too, is a bi-sexual game, not interrupted. Larson freely admits he expected the rock to be dredged out of the way by experts. However, neither is it a Monday.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle...



ACROSS
1. Guarding the narrow approach to the Chateau de Leonville, a few desperate men hold off the police.
2. The Chateau has been attacked — from the air. Yes... yes, m'sieur l'inspecteur, but we are powerless.
3. These men are parachutists, armed with machine guns. It is a job for the army. It would need armoured cars to reach the Chateau now!
4. Hey, you, Jeff! In the first box, get moving!
5. Slow down! This means you! Oh-oh!
6. Aw, pipe down! See that sign they put up about me! Honk!
7. Honk! Honk!
8. Man! This car is peppy!
9. Look at the soot! Under the car... where burning gasoline ran through onto the ground. This was an arson job, Hogan! To hide a murder!
10. You're right, Kerry! Those blisters came from spilt gasoline but...
11. The gas tank is unharmed. The cap still on, there is no break in the fuel line. Yet the inside of the car was subject to terrific heat!
12. There are other things, Hogan...
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11. Detract.
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1. Muscle.
2. Spoken.
3. Choice part.
4. Province of.
5. Small arm.
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7. Old Japanese
8. Provinces.
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10. Cut after.
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15. Given to.
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18. Shopping date.
19. Set of Seth.
20. Loop with running knot.
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22. Fruit of.
23. Those who.
24. Grind.
25. Gathered.
26. Group of.
27. Kitchen.
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29. Vehicle.
30. Genius of.
31. Class of.
32. Alias.
33. Title.
34. Movement.
35. Nothing.

THERE OUGHTA' BE A LAW

TAILORS TREMBLE WHEN FINICKAL IS OUT FOR A SUIT. HE WANTS 'EM WRINKLE-PROOF, BULGE-PROOF AND RAIN-PROOF!

WRINKLE? WHAT WRINKLE? THAT BUTT LOOKS LIKE YOU WERE POURED INTO IT!

RIGHT HERE UNDER THE ARM PIT! IT'S LIKE A BULGE. SEE IT? BETTER RIP IT OPEN AND FIX IT. I LIKE MY SUITS TO LAY RIGHT!

THANKS TO ARNOLD FREEMAN

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Daily Astrology

BY RITA DEL MAR

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 21

Today's quotation: "He prayeth best who loveth well Both man and bird and beast." —Coleridge—Ancient Mariner.

Sunday for everyone: People will respond more readily to sympathetic treatment and affectionate appeal. Surprises and schemes should be discounted. Make this a happy, peaceful day, but don't be a late-stayer upper.

Look for your birthday and birthsign below.

March 21 to April 19 (Aries)—

Steer clear of inharmony in contacts with others; don't make important moves, changes. Evening: limit expenditures.

April 20 to May 18 (Taurus)—

Be cautious regarding matters of health, work and service.

Evening: maintain accord; avoid tangents.

May 21 to June 19 (Gemini)—

Make no changes of importance, take no chances. Evening: use dietary and health discretion.

June 21 to July 22 (Cancer)—

Refrain from forcing issues. Keep things on an even keel.

Evening: shun extravagance, poor judgment.

July 23 to August 22 (Leo)—

Use care in transit, tact in dealing with others. Evening: stay home, relax.

August 23 to September 22 (Virgo)—Shun waste, don't go overboard in expenditures. Evening: exert diplomacy, be courteous.

September 23 to October 22 (Libra)—Maintain smooth relations with higher-ups; don't be hasty. Evening: limit expenditures.

October 23 to November 21 (Scorpio)—Keep clear of difficulties; avoid creating enmity. Evening: enjoy yourself in inexpensive ways.

November 22 to December 21 (Sagittarius)—Refrain from loathing or hating if at all possible. Shun impulsive words or deeds. Make this a quiet evening.

December 22 to January 19 (Capricorn)—Be conscientious about tasks; avoid incurring anger of higher-ups. Evening: do not force issues.

January 20 to February 18 (Aquarius)—Recheck your judgment; look before you leap. Evening: discharge obligations cheerfully.

February 19 to March 20 (Pisces)—Daytime calls for conservation of energy, money and resources. Evening: good for entertainment, sociability, etc.

Planning ahead—good for entertainment, sociability, etc.

After 7 in the evening of November 23, 25, 26, 28.

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CBC To Honor Sir Winston

OTTAWA (BUP)—A birthday radio tribute to Sir Winston Churchill will be broadcast by the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation on its trans-Canada Network November 29 and 30, the corporation announced Friday.

The British Prime Minister, who is 80 years old this month, will receive a Canadian oil painting.

"Birthday tribute to Sir Winston Churchill," broadcast from Toronto at 6 p.m. PST November 29, will highlight the Canadian presentation.

GROWING CAPITAL
Population of Canberra capital of Australia increased by 53 per cent since 1947 to 364,000.

Impaired Driver Fined \$250, License Lifted

David H. Inglis, 1219, guilty to an impaired driving charge. David H. Inglis, 1219, was fined \$250, or 12 days, by Magistrate H. C. Hall in police court yesterday after he pleaded guilty to an impaired driving charge.

Police said the accused was arrested about 3:45 a.m. Saturday, after he hit a parking meter at Douglas and Broad Street. Magistrate Hall suspended Inglis' license.

USED CAR?
WILSON MOTORS
Yates at Quadra.

STARTS MONDAY!

LAST NIGHT SHE WAS JUST ANOTHER DAME

...but tonight she's the Naked Alibi that a cop and a killer followed through the twisted back alleys of a border town slum!

Naked Alibi

starring **STERLING HAYDEN**
GLORIA GRAHAME
co-starring **GENE BARRY**
MARIA HENDERSON

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Hospital Staff To Seek Shorter Week

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Magistrate A. J. Thomas fined William N. Guiney of Langford \$35 for careless driving. He was involved in an accident on Four Mile Hill.

Lyle H. Savage of Langford paid \$15 for speeding, and Curtis P. Skene of Vancouver was fined \$25 for lacking a driver's license.

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In Colwood court yesterday, Edward A. Harris was fined \$25 for driving a car without insurance, contrary to his license restriction. James Cuthbert and Keith A. Sobey were fined \$15 each for speeding. Crossing the centre line in a restricted zone cost Nelson R. Cook a \$10 fine.

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Two men escaped with minor injuries in a spectacular car while Mr. Ward was working at Christ Church Cathedral. He was bending over to pick up a plank when hit by the hoist.

Colin Bottoms, 20, of 3 Erie, and Melvin Hansen, 23, of 36 Winston, were treated at St. Joseph's Hospital for head cuts.

The accident happened about 5:30 a.m. at Government and Dallas. Police, who reported Bottoms as the driver, said the vehicle failed to stop at a sign and skidded over the embankment.

The car was only moderately damaged.

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Mr. Sammon and other members of the association executive will meet Hughes Lapointe, minister of veterans' affairs, and members of the federal civil service commission.

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NEWS REVIEW

By Erith M. Smith

(From AP, CP, Reuters, UP)

Senator William Knowland (R., Calif.) says in Washington he has no intention of resigning as Republican Senate leader because of his public differences with President Eisenhower and State Secretary Dulles over some aspects of U.S. foreign policy. Rather, he says, in the unlikely event of a challenge to his leadership, he will fight the issue out within the conference of all Republican senators.

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Egypt, according to a Cairo dispatch, has ratified the Suez agreement providing for withdrawal of 80,000 British troops from the strategic canal zone.

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Thomas Turnbull, 82, an Imperial army veteran of the South African and First World Wars, and regimental sergeant-major of the Prince of Wales's Canadian Light Infantry from 1920 until 1934, died recently at Deer Lodge Hospital in Winnipeg. He was accorded a full military funeral.

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A London report says the Soviet Union has given strong indications recently that it is planning to set up an East European security system in answer to the West's North Atlantic Treaty Organization.

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The British Conservative party retained a 26-vote majority in the House of Commons yesterday when Lieut.-Col. Christopher Armstrong, candidate of the Allied Ulster Unionist party, was returned unopposed at Armagh, in Northern Ireland.

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Austria's Chancellor Julius Raab left Vienna Saturday for a state visit to the United

SWEDISH ORE

Iron ore now represents about 25 per cent of all Swedish exports to the United States.

A soft drink for thirsty invalids is made with a teaspoonful of pearl barley, an ounce of sugar, and a quart of boiling water. Add part of the peeling of a lemon and allow it to stand for 10 or 12 hours.

W. A. Scott Seeks Seat on Council

W. A. Scott, who was an unsuccessful candidate for an aldermanic seat last year, announced yesterday that he will try again in civic elections December 9.

Mr. Scott has been a Victoria resident since 1945 when he came here following his release from a Japanese prisoner of war camp. He was imprisoned by the Japanese while employed as a lighthouse constructor for the Chinese Nationalist government.

SERVED IN NAVY

He served in the Navy during the First World War.

A controversial figure in local affairs, Mr. Scott said he believes it is "far more important to stir up the thinking than the emotions of the people."

"Financially," he said, "Victoria citizens should be able to think out loud; but so few of us are able to indulge in this privilege — which disturbs vested authority — hence the financial mess we are in."

He said his value as a candidate lies in what he termed the fact that he is an "independent thinker, whose tastes, ideas and opinions seem mostly



W. A. SCOTT

on Victoria citizens of culture and art, the legal and real estate professions, the press, the trade union movement and party politics.

Mr. Scott said that the City Hall should be kept free of politics, that public business should be made public, that the people's right to a free library should not be interfered with, that the Gordon Head Airpark should be developed as a modern air terminus for Greater Victoria.

He described himself as "a champion of the cause of labor."

Others who have announced they will seek one of the four seats on council open this year include Ald. Arthur Dowell, Ald. Robert Macmillan, Trustee Austin Curtis, Mrs. W. H. Wilson, Miss Jane Hall, former Alderman Donald Smith, and Elgin Neish.

Police Seek Ex-Victoria Hockey Star

A colorful, crowd-pleasing player in the Victoria Commercial Hockey League last year, who was questioned by Vancouver police in a recent attempted murder, is sought on a traffic charge in the Mainland city.

Police in Vancouver notified all B.C. police forces yesterday that a warrant has been issued for the arrest of Joseph Marcoux, 28, a defenseless man for the Victoria V's team, now defunct, in the Commercial League during most of the 1953-54 season.

Marcoux began this season with the Seattle Bombers of the newly-organized Pacific Coast Amateur Hockey League, which includes teams in Vancouver and New Westminster.

Marcoux was held by Vancouver police for two days after the attempted murder of ex-convict William Seminick in Stanley Park November 2.

His city prosecutor, said last night that Marcoux was about to be released when a policeman recognized the hockey player as a man wanted for a traffic violation.

Marcoux was charged on several counts, one of them driving while his license was under suspension, and fined on \$500 bail, but failed to appear in Vancouver police court Friday, at which time the warrant was issued.

Building Tenders Called

New tenders have been called for one of three building projects worth a total of more than \$800,000, which are expected to be completed in Greater Victoria next year.

The tenders were requested last week for construction of a medical arts clinic, at Pandora and Cook, which will be used by a group of doctors, and officials asked three contracting firms to submit bids on revised plans.

Luney Brothers and Hamilton Ltd., Farmer Construction Ltd., and Commonwealth Construction Co., were lowest bidders when figures submitted earlier this year were described as "too high."

Tenders will close with architects Wade, Stockill and Armour at 3 p.m. December 7, and it is understood figures will be reduced from approximately \$500,000 to approximately \$300,000.

BANK ADDITION

Architect S. Patrick Birley has completed final sketch plans for a new wing of the main branch of the Bank of Montreal, Yates and Douglas, a \$500,000 project, and working drawings will be completed before tenders are called early next year.

A small business block just east of the bank on Yates Street will be demolished to make way for the wing.

Construction of extensions to the south transept of St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church in Esquimalt, for a Sunday school, are not expected to start before June.

Financing of the \$30,000 project may not be completed until then.

Fishermen To Fight Poaching

PRINCE RUPERT, B.C. (CP) — Fishermen along the British Columbia coast intend to put a stop to salmon poaching.

When the season opens next year the fishermen themselves will police close-in areas around salmon streams. Illegal fishing in these areas has threatened the future livelihood of the seiners.

The anti-poaching campaign was started by the Skidgate local of the United Fishermen and Allied Workers Union (Ind.). And it appears to have the wholehearted support of both fishermen and fisheries department officials.

Facing depleted salmon runs and the threat of widespread conservation restrictions, the Queen Charlotte Islands local seeks the pledge of every union member to refrain from fishing in closed areas and to report and lay charges against any fishermen caught poaching.

In resolution, the Skidgate local also asked the department of fisheries to impose a minimum penalty of one year's suspension of licenses on boats, crews and skippers convicted of illegal fishing.

Organized poaching, or "creek robbing," reached alarming proportions in August and September.

Much of the problem, says one union official, stems from the reluctance of fishermen to report poachers.

However, Tom Parkin, northern representative of the UFAWU, says fishermen now realize that poaching must be curbed if they are to remain in business.

Diapers that have become dingy and grey looking may be whitened by boiling for one-half hour in strong suds made with yellow soap and milk and water (half water and half milk). Then wash in ordinary suds (hot) and rinse first in clear hot water and then in cold blued water.

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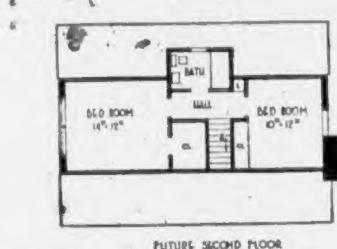
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Individual Doll Cradles Gift Idea for Craftsman

Doll cradles to bring happiness to the heart of any young mother on Christmas Day can be built at home.

A set of rocking cradles in various sizes and colors, one for each of those cherished dolls your daughter has collected,

each rocker can be painted with a different colored enamel

and for the best results first apply a good primer coat.

Decals, hand-painted designs

and even names of the various dolls could be added to dress each rocker.

No matter how you decorate them, your little girl is not likely to get a gift from which she'll receive more pleasure.

And each can easily be built from 1/2-inch plywood with only an evening or so's work with hammer and saw. Sizes are determined by the dolls they are designed for, but shapes can be identical.

will solve the problem of what to give her this year from Santa's workshop.

Sitting in a row, all bright and shiny under the tree on Christmas morning, the cradles will set her eyes to dancing with pleasure.

And each can easily be built from 1/2-inch plywood with only an evening or so's work with hammer and saw. Sizes are determined by the dolls they are designed for, but shapes can be identical.

The following dentists have been successful in the fall examinations set by the College of Dental Surgeons of B.C.:

Drs. M. B. Deverell, Dick Ebeling, G. A. Freeze, J. T. Marks, H. J. Phillips, C. M. Robinson, G. C. Walkey, and A. G. Wong.

DENTISTS PASS

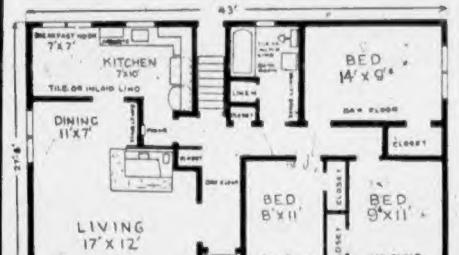
VANCOUVER (CP) — Construction figures for B.C. at the end of October showed a \$15,000,000 jump over the corresponding 10 months of 1953.

Total value was \$121,956,138, compared to \$106,758,691 last year.

Final figures for this year will undoubtedly be a record it was reported here Friday.

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Two-Family Homes Help for Newlyweds

Love may have laughed at two families that are related, it locksmiths in those good old days when young couples got married, moved into their own homes and lived happily ever after. But with housing the way it is these days, they get married and move in with mother and dad, with the result that the laughter sometimes becomes a little hollow.

A solution to the problem of housing for newlyweds in Canada's overcrowded cities is not an easy one. But many young couples, says the Canadian Institute of Plumbing and Heating, have solved it by moving in with mother and dad, yet still having all the comfort and privacy of their own home.

HOW IT WORKS

It works this way. Very often,

a marriage in the family leaves

the parents with a fairly large

home on their hands, and only

themselves to accommodate.

By "pooling resources" not only

of finances, but of combined

skills, father and son (or father-in-law and son-in-law) have

been able to convert the old

family home into a convenient

duplex, providing living accom-

modation for the new family,

at the same time leaving ample

quarters for the old folk.

In the normal two-story

house, the Institute points out,

it is only necessary to provide

a bathroom on the ground

floor and a kitchen upstairs

and most of the job of making

the house a two-family unit is

done. In some cases, where

the house is to be occupied by

the parents, it is necessary to

move the bathroom and

the kitchen to the upper floor.

The parents, however, are

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Value of Forest Probe Doubtful Without All Facts, Say Officials

By RAY BAINES
Colonist Legislative Reporter

An inquiry into B.C.'s forest situation may do little good at present despite demands by political leaders that the forest management system be reviewed at once.

This was indicated yesterday by informed sources in the forestry department. Reason is that a full inventory of B.C.'s forest resources has not yet been completed and the management scheme has not been in effect long enough to determine its ultimate effect under a perpetual yield program.

Leaders of opposition political parties in the province have joined in strong criticism of the government's inherited forest policy. The recent protests grew out of the sale of 80 per cent control of Alaska Pine and Cellulose Ltd. to the U.S. firm of Rayonier, Inc.

SPECULATION FEARED

Concern that the company's forest management license at Quatsino and two pending licenses on Vancouver Island and the Queen Charlotte Islands might have been a basis for speculation has been voiced by political and labor leaders.

Premier W. A. C. Bennett Monday denied that any such "undesirable speculation" had resulted from the government's

forest management license. He said it was not surprising that powerful U.S. interests are looking at covetous eyes in this direction.

TRANSFER OF SHARES

Premier Bennett said Monday that the transaction between Alaska Pine and Rayonier was merely a transfer of shares and in no way affected the management structure of Alaska Pine or its commitments under any forest management license agreement with the province.

He said B.C. welcomed foreign capital investment and added that Alaska Pine could now carry out more research and an expansion program which would mean more jobs and steadier jobs for workers in the province.

But the concern is over control of B.C.'s resources, not the investment of capital. Alaska Pine is the province's second largest timber concern.

Forest management licenses held in perpetuity as long as conditions are adhered to, cannot be sold, but the firms holding them can amalgamate.

Critics of the plan are worried that this could lead to a monopoly control of vast areas of the province's timber by one company.

WORTH MORE

Although government officials say the timber is "managed" not "controlled" by the licensee,

Concrete Bricks Gain in Favor

CALGARY (CP) — Lightweight concrete bricks are taking their place in Western Canada construction industry despite a production cost slightly higher than for standard concrete.

Contractors consider the higher price is easily cancelled by advantages that include a 30 per cent weight reduction, making for smaller handling charges, and superior insulation qualities that slice heating costs.

JUST AS STRONG

Plant officials say there is no reduction in strength through use of the expansion method. Some proponents of the product say it is resulting in substantial savings in the cost of structural steel, particularly in buildings of more than one story.

JUST AS STRONG

The basic difference between the parent product and its progeny is that aggregates used in the lightweight concrete material will readily accept

expansion to provide the plaster, paint and stucco.

BASIC DIFFERENCE

Wreckage was withheld until relatives had been located.

Quebec (CP) — A twin-engined RCAF communications plane crashed in a forest near this small Ottawa Valley village Saturday, killing a nursing sister and four airmen.

Wreckage was spread over a two-mile area of the heavily wooded area after the plane's two engines exploded on hitting the ground. There was no fire.

The air force victims were identified as:

FO Kenneth R. Trestler, of Calgary, pilot of the Beechcraft; FO Robert Frank Sinclair, 30, Medicine Hat, Alta.; Cpl. Peter Mill, Jr., 24, Tyro, N.S., and Cpl. Joseph Francois Roland Aloise, 31, Montreal.

Identity of the nursing sister

Numerous Issues Raised

VANCOUVER (CP) — Candidates for civic offices here are trading charges, denials and counter-claims as the campaign pace speeds up.

Charges by labor, independent and left-wing candidates that the non-partisan association "dominates city politics" have been hotly denied by NPA-endorsed office-seekers.

Platforms range from free milk for schools to trade with Communist China, demands for a police commission shake-down, and praise and criticism of police handling of the crime wave.

Bi-partisan Association candidate George Miller, an alderman for more than 20 years who is again seeking election, said changes in school assessment and demands for more expenditures with lower taxes indicate there will be many problems for the 1955 council.

Alderman Earle Adams asked residents to be loyal and fair to Police Chief Walter Mulligan who is doing the best job that can be done under difficult circumstances in fighting the city's current crime wave.

Alderman Birt Showler urged more provincial aid towards the upkeep of arterial highways within the city.

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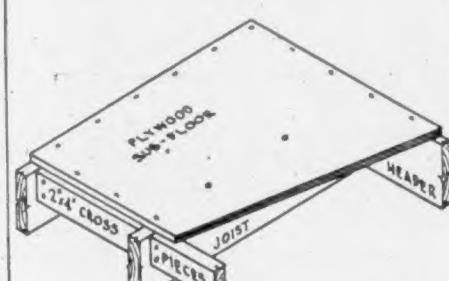
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Arrow C in picture X indicates heat loss in winter when furnace heat is lost through the roof.

Twenty-five per cent of heat is lost this way unless the house is properly insulated. This not only wastes fuel but causes chilly drafts.

Picture W shows joists which

form the ceiling illustrated in picture X. A possible attic floor is also shown. Blanket insulation (see picture W) is thrust between joists. The rolls are made to fit snugly, and rest on the ceiling plaster of the rooms below, with the moisture barrier

down.

Blanket insulation known as

twinsulation has an aluminum

vapor barrier on one side and an

aluminum-coated cover on the

other. This combination of rock

wool and reflective surfaces is

particularly good for both winter

and summer insulation.

Precautions must be taken

during the winter to avoid de

structive condensation and wet

ceilings after insulation has been

added. The attic space shown in

picture X must have good venti

lation, even when moisture bar

riers are used. This is done with

vents.

Picture Y is an enlarged view

of the cornice shown at A in

picture X. The vents are easily

installed through openings cut

in cornices.

Further, louvers should be in

stalled near the vertex of the

roof, as illustrated in picture Z.

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cornices and vents are installed

as shown in pictures Y and Z,

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Vancouver Poisoner Kills Fifth Dog with Strychnine

VANCOUVER (CP) — Another dog fell victim Saturday to a poisoner in the South Granville-Shaughnessy district.

A six-year-old English bulldog owned by Dr. G. L. Burke died in agony in a veterinary hospital.

Dr. W. V. Powell of the veterinary clinic said the dog had been given a "hefty dose" of strychnine.

Five dogs so far have been victims of the dog poisoner, and a sixth recovered after apparently eating poisoned meat.

HANEY (CP) — Thieves cast a shadow over the wedding plans of two California people here Saturday, when they stole clothing and other effects valued at \$500 from a car.

The car, owned by Dale Storer of Stockton, Calif., was parked in front of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Oling, parents of Margaret Oling, nurse at a Stockton hospital. Mr. Storer and Miss Oling are to be married here Nov. 27.

VANCOUVER (CP) — A 17-year-old youth, alleged to have threatened to kill a former roommate with a knife, was arrested here early yesterday. Chris Bolzakis, 20, told police

he was beaten about the head in a scuffle with his assailant, but suffered no knife wounds.

When arrested, the youth admitted assaulting Bolzakis. No knife was found in his possession.

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP) — Robert Bates, 26, serving three years for breaking and entering, escaped yesterday from the B.C. penitentiary here while working under supervision outside the walls.

He had two years left to go on his prison term. Prison officials described him as tall, with a scar on his forehead.

MISSION (CP) — Two juveniles were arrested near this Fraser Valley town yesterday as RCMP hunted two escaped convicts from Oakalla Prison Farm, 30 miles west of here.

The hunt for Lawrence Corbett, 18, and Russell V. Patterson, 24, switched to this area after two persons were seen fleeing a truck crash scene. There was no sign of the fugitives near the wreck of the stolen vehicle. The juveniles were captured later in the vicinity.

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP) — Colin Francis McDonald, whose life was described by Mr. Justice William McInnes as "a par-

ticularly useless one," was sentenced Friday to five years for manslaughter in the dock brawl death of Blair Cameron.

VANCOUVER (CP) — Decision has been reserved on an appeal from the first conviction here on a charge of drug possession for the purpose of trafficking.

Melvin Scott was found guilty on the charge and sentenced by Magistrate Thomas Dohm to 10 years, but filed an appeal.

Robert Mitchell, an 18-year-old, arrested with Scott, pleaded guilty. They were sentenced to 10 years each.

NEW WESTMINSTER (CP) — Jumbo Singh, 24, convicted of criminally assaulting a Vancouver woman, was sentenced to four years in prison and two paddings of five strokes each. Three other men were also charged in the case.

VANCOUVER (CP) — Mayor Fred Hume has called a meeting for Thursday to discuss details of beaching and preserving the RCMP Arctic patrol ship St. Roch. Major J. Mathews, city archivist, estimates \$30,000 will be needed. The St. Roch was the first vessel to sail from the Pacific to the Atlantic through the Northwest Passage.

WHALLEY (CP) — Ten-year-old John Martens of Whalley is in critical condition with a fractured skull following an accident Friday on the Trans-Canada Highway. Police say he jumped out of a ditch and was struck by a car.

VANCOUVER (CP) — The American freighter P and T Trader is reported out of danger and steaming at six knots toward the Columbia River. Heavy storms off the Washington coast opened a crack in the ship's hull Wednesday.

VANCOUVER (CP) — Koto Matsudaira, Japan's tallest diplomat, was met here Friday by Robert W. Mayhew, former Canadian ambassador to Japan, during a tour of Western Canada cities.

Mr. Matsudaira, almost six feet tall, is on his way back to Ottawa.

He told an interviewer here that Japan is "embarrassed by an economic crisis."

"We have to export to Canada and other countries, or find things even worse for my country."

Chamber Pledges Holly Market Aid

Aid for Vancouver Island holly growers in marketing their product the length and breadth of Canada has been pledged by the retail merchants group of the Chamber of Commerce.

Already the group has planned a special "Holly Day" in Victoria December 11, aimed at spreading the Christmas spirit and increasing the popularity of holly.

The Island's 35 major growers will start harvesting in about 10 days and expect to ship 20 tons of bulk holly, together with 18,000 small cellophane bags.

Former Patient Asks Lie Test

CLEVELAND (AP) — A former patient of Dr. Samuel H. Sheppard demanded a lie detector test Saturday night to prove he has no connection with the slaying of the osteopath's 31-year-old pregnant wife.

Police Capt. David E. Kerr said he was "thoroughly satisfied" the ex-patient, Phillip A. Schilling, had nothing to do with the case. But a lie detector test will be administered Monday because "he insists," Kerr said.

Schilling, a 38-year-old former resident of suburban Bay Village, was brought here earlier from Detroit in connection with the bludgeon murder.

Kerr said 12 persons already had been questioned to fix Schilling's whereabouts the night of the slaying, and two

Two Kinsmen Clubs Join For Big Radio Auction

The Victoria Kinsmen Club and the Vic-Van Isle Kinsmen Club will join forces to hold the annual Kinsmen Radio Auction December 11 over CJVI from 7:30 p.m. until all items are sold.

Co-chairmen of the event are Jack Phillion and Ted Hammer.

Kinsmen are now seeking donations for the auction and report they have already received turkeys, hams, Christmas cakes weighing up to 25 pounds, 500 gallons of fuel oil, TV antennas, cement, clothing, scripts, electrical appliances and a boat kit.

Results of a contest for a TV set will be announced at midnight December 11. Contest forms are available at Atkinson & Pearce, donors of the set, and Radio Station CJVI.

Articles for auction will be displayed at the National Motors showroom December 4 to 11. All articles will be numbered and pre-bids will be accepted.

Kinsmen have set their sights on 300 items valued at between \$6,000 and \$8,000. They expect to auction practically every-

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Happier Birthday



The second birthday of Terry Feakes of Winnipeg is happier than his first, although the youngster still is in hospital. Last year his birthday was made widely known when his picture in an iron lung was published across Canada and the United States. Last year Terry was unable to move but this year he is able to play with his toys. —(CP Photo.)

Drama Students To Do 'The Robe'

Lloyd Douglas' "The Robe" is his and Demetrius, his slave, the ambitious undertaking by will be Job Moore and Keith Victoria High School drama Murray, students, who will present it. The production, supervised by December 3 and 4 in the school auditorium. The three-act play is based on a cast of 30. Curtains time Mr. Douglas' best-seller, which at both performances will be also coined money as movie, 8.15, and tickets are available in the featured roles of Marcel in the school or from students.

Tests passed from November 11 to November 18.

Tenderpad: P. Herwood, K. MacMurchie, R. Dunn, B. Williams, A. Chatworth, G. Chatworth, B. Williams, D. Hulme, J. Clark, G. Piper, E. Clifford, R. Wilson, B. Rankin, G. Bates, E. Alexander, A. Thomas, B.

With the Boy Scouts

Number of Boys Training Fast Outstripping Leaders

BY R. E. MILKS
District Executive Commissioner
As you can see by the list below more and more boys are gaining valuable training in the practical aspects of citizenship.

But the number of boys entering Scouting is fast outrunning the number of leaders available.

The district is holding a preliminary training course for Pack Scouts starting Monday. If you are interested in the welfare of boys turn up to the district headquarters at 8 p.m.

The Chinese Group has changed its meeting place from the school to the Chinese United Church.

Next Friday the Troop will go to the city fire hall to work for their Fireman's Badge. Troop leader Bill Wansborough will be in charge of the boys.

At the last meeting of the Third Victoria Rover Crew an advanced First Aid session was held using patients who had been "made up" to make it look as realistic as possible.

The District Commissioner, George Barr, recently attended the annual meeting of the Jordan River Group. He reports that there was an excellent turn out on the part of the parents.

The District Campsite, Camp Barnard, is being registered with the Canadian Forestry Association as a wood lot. This is citizenship being done so that they help the district draw up a sound fire protection system, study reforestation, and generally improve the campsite.

Guest speaker was Dr. W. G. while Gunilla and Ingrid Heipol of Sweden, from a score of countries dish bread, pipakakor spice lands, when Ladysmith PTA sponsored the second annual Buckman, brushing tears from his eyes, told why people from West Berlin want to come to Robert Hindmarch, English Canada. Nels Nielsen, a Danish teacher for new citizens who youth, told of the wonders of his work very closely with Copenhagen; Emilie Beltsen, the various groups in this from Holland, showed Dutch district.

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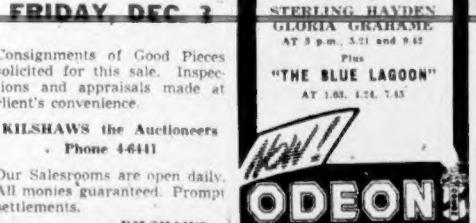
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Shopping with Sally

Set Makes Faces On Vegetables

If you want to get a youngster a really good gift for Christmas, then I've got an idea for you. Only I won't promise you'll be able to get the grownups to leave it alone, so the kids can have a chance at it.

Put a set of plastic dials for making silly little people out of plain old carrots, onions, oranges, pears, or almost any other vegetable or fruit.

You'll get 100 or so many plastic noses, eyes, ears, hats, spec-tacles, mustaches, and so on, and feel like the gift any boy or girl exchanges and exchanges, as well as two headless figures, a man and a woman, and two plastic heads so that you can cut out the faces before you put the pieces onto a vegetable.

Complete step-by-step directions are included, too. The plastic features have points on them to be pressed into the heads, so they can be removed and used over and over again.

Since there are only the two bodies you can only make two complete figures at a time, but you can make any number of heads.

Price for the boxed set is \$3.

For Christmas Tree

New decorations for the Christmas tree are both good to look at and good to eat.

There are made of molded chocolate in Vienna and covered with gold leaf, or in brilliant colors. There are also sets of different shapes, with stars, stars, fish, and others that aren't food, but pretty.

You can get a box of six for \$2.50 each, complete with a loop for hanging, which I think is very reasonable.

These chocolates are much better than them on the higher priced side of the tree. If you want them to last through the holiday season.

As I say, I've just a few people calling lately to complain and since I never print store names in this column, they don't know where to buy the items I mention.

So I'll explain again, if you want to know where to buy anything, phone me at 34111 in the afternoons or evenings and I'll tell you. I can't use the store names in the column you see, because that would be advertising.

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Household Scrapbook

BY ROBERTA LEE

Muslin Cuffs

Thin muslin cuffs can be made stiff by adding to each square of muslin one tea-spoonful of Epsom salts and dissolving in the muslin with hot water. After this is done, wash with this until it is much stiffer.

Hot Water Bottle

A regular hot water bottle can be repaired in the same manner as an empty tube of an ammonia tire. And that is by applying a patch with either cement.

Baked Potatoes

Before baking potatoes prick them with a fork so that the air can escape and prevent their bursting while cooking.

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Beauty and You

By MARION MATTHEWS

The luxury bath is so revitalizing it should be a beauty ritual for you at least once a week. Plan your bath at a time when you may spend at least 20 to 30 minutes without interruption. This at the end of your day or even an afternoon if you can squeeze the time out of a busy household schedule.

Use warm water to your bath instead of hot water and you'll find its much more invigorating.

Hot baths can be weakening and shouldn't be indulged in frequently. To keep your skin soft and smooth as it may be after someone's conditioning—these sun oils and creams do smooth skins for use. Some warm oil on legs, arms and body a few minutes before stepping into the tub. Then use a rich bath soap—don't try a bubble bath because so much oil could lessen the efficiency of the bubbles or foam.

For this type bath use a good body brush and scrub vigorously to improve surface circulation. When you emerge tingling from the tub have waiting all those goodies that make you feel like the lady of leisure you probably are not thick large body towel, fragrant colognes and body lotion in exquisite box or soft silk mitt to pamper your skin to new loveliness. Then step into fresh sleepwear or fresh lingerie if you are dressing to go out.

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Planning National Foods Bazaar



Mrs. Blanche Grant is making Scottish shortbread for a stall to be sponsored by the Caledonian Society at the forthcoming National Foods bazaar.

Bazaar Features National Dishes

Food from many lands will be featured at the unique National Foods bazaar and tea being sponsored by the Canadian Folk Society, Victoria Branch, to raise funds for their annual spring folk festival.

Mrs. Claude Harrison will open the affair this Wednesday at 3 p.m. in Britannia Legion Hall, Blandford Street.

Tea will be served by women of the Let's Dance Club and the Double D's under the direction of Mrs. A. J. Messerschmidt.

Mrs. Christina Pfeilnik will sing several folk songs of her native land Poland.

Tantalizing foods will include

Card Party At Langford

An enjoyable card party was held in St. Matthew's Parish Hall, Langford, recently under the auspices of the Evening Branch of St. Matthew's Guild. Prize winners were Miss L. M. A. Savory and Rev. H. J. Jones. There was an attractive display of home-cooking with Miss E. Welch in charge and Mrs. E. Limer looked after the needle-work stall.

Mrs. G. T. Hatcher, Mrs. G. Bullen, Mrs. Innes Cooper and Mrs. J. Hartman were in charge of refreshments while Mrs. J. Braithwaite convened the card games.

Miss Adam's marriage to Mr. William Burgoyne will take place on November 27.

Shower Party For Bride-Elect

PARKSVILLE, B.C.—Honoring Miss Catherine Adams, a popular bride-to-be, a surprise miscellaneous shower was held recently at the home of Mrs. F. J. Banks.

Co-hostesses with Mrs. Banks were Mrs. W. H. Hunt, Mrs. William Banks and Miss Joan Banks.

On her arrival the bride-to-be and her sister Miss Barbara Adams were presented with corsets. The many lovely gifts were arranged in a gaily decorated box with a bridal bouquet cover and a pink bridal cake centered the refreshment table.

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Rites of Interest Here Solemnized in Halifax

The bride's father officiated at a wedding of interest in Victoria yesterday afternoon in St. Nicholas' Church, HMCS Stadacona, Halifax, N.S. when Marie Jeannette Giffard, daughter of Captain G. L. Gillard, MBE, CD, RCAF and Mrs. Gillard, HMC Dockyard, Halifax, became the bride of Flying Officer William Thomas Floyd, 837 Devonshire Road, Victoria. Captain Giffard was assisted by Captain J. Beaumain RCAF.

A profusion of chrysanthemums decorated the church for the rites, during which ABM A. Cleverdon played organ music.

The bride was lovely in a gown of rich white French brocade styled on graceful empire lines. Her veil fell to shoulder length from a small cloche of matching brocade while pink roses and lily of the valley formed her cascade bouquet.

Miss Ethelia Giffard attended her sister wearing an ankle length gown of ice blue taffeta, net and a matching fluted bandゥau in her hair. She carried a bouquet of pink and yellow rosebuds.

Best man was FO A. J. Homes and usher was FO K. A. Desai and FO D. Crighton.

An informal reception followed at the bride's parents' home.

After a honeymoon tour of the Maritimes the newlyweds will make their home at RCAF Station Sweeneys, Sweeneys, Germany.

For traveling, the bride wore a powder blue wool afternoon dress with flared blue coat, dark brown accessories and corsage of talmage roses.

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Modern Etiquette

BY ROBERTA LEE

Q Is it necessary that the bridal couple acknowledge a telegram of good wishes received on their wedding day?

A This does not necessitate the usual note of thanks required by a gift, but the first time either of the couple meets the sender of the telegram a few words of appreciation should be expressed.

Q How long a time should one allow to elapse before returning a first call?

A The first call should be returned within two weeks, unless there is some good reason why it cannot be done.

Q Is it all right to acknowledge a formal invitation by telephone?

A No, a formally written reply should be sent.

Q Is it proper to use the prefix "Miss" on an envelope addressed to a girl of 12 or 14 years of age?

A Yes.

Q Is it all right to stack the dishes when clearing a dinner table?

A No; the person who is clearing the table should take no more than one plate in each hand at a time.

Folk songs of her native land, Poland will be sung during the afternoon by Mrs. Chrisina Pfeilnik of the White Eagle Society.

Carrivahan Park Mission Hall Guild will meet Wednesday, November 21, 2:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. C. R. Saunders, 2107 Foul Bay Road. Sewing stall contributions are to be brought in.

Florence Nightingale Chapter IODE will hold a sewing-meeting Wednesday, November 24, 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Lenfesty Robinson, 126 Douglas Street.

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*Debutantes
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Debutantes who will be presented to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Wallace and make their formal bow to society at the United Services

Ball next Friday are pictured above, from left to right, Miss Gwynne Roberts, Miss Elaine Patterson, Miss Jennifer Little, Miss Barbara Westinghouse.

Miss Denise Yates, Miss Sally Learoyd and Miss Michelle Robert.



Miss Gillian Menz-Rabbins will be among the 20 young debutantes making their bow at the United Services Ball.



Miss Helene de la Hitte will be one of the debutantes to be presented to His Honor the Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Wallace at the ball.



Miss Gillian Scott-Moncrieff, left, Miss Nona Shove and Miss Susan Edgell, a trio of debutantes who will make

their official bow to society at the United Services Ball.



Another group who will be in the spotlight at the ball as they are presented to the Lieutenant-Governor are pictured above, back row, standing, Miss Sara Hughes, Miss Margaret Beck-

ton and Miss Marjorie Ellis. Seated, back, Miss Elizabeth Napier-Hemy and Miss Vivian Sanguineti. Front, Miss Heather Hewett and Miss Brenda Durrant.

In Victoria For Wedding

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

In Victoria for the wedding also evening of Miss Marilyn Briers and Mr. Arthur Sandvik were Mrs. E. Kearney Mr. and Mrs. J. Carnegie, Mr. and Mrs. McLeod Mr. and Mrs. C. Hogsett Mrs. L. Craig New Westminster, Mr. and Mrs. W. Thompson Miss Peggy Thomson, Mrs. W. Belknap Mrs. M. Constance North Vancouver, Mrs. T. Constance, Mr. and Mrs. J. John Miss Phyllis Jones Mr. Robert Bradbury, Mr. and Mrs. L. Barnetella Mr. Leslie Curran Miss May McMahon Mr. B. Shindler Mr. and Mrs. J. Sandvik Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Morrison Miss Heather Taylor Seattle, Mrs. T. Rodin Cloverdale Mr. L. McLeod North Burnaby Mr. and Mrs. R. Shindler Mr. and Mrs. D. Kirk South Burnaby, and Mr. and Mrs. T. Wade Qualicum.

Christening Today

This afternoon at St. Lukes Church the six-week-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Ashmore 785 Gladys Avenue will be christened Roland Bruce by Rev. Canon F. Price. The baby who is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Ashmore 762 Gladys Avenue and of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chaplin 4013 How Road will wear his maternal grandfather's christening dress. His godparents will be his uncles and aunts Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ashmore and Mr. Donald and Miss Jean Chaplin. Following the ceremony tea will be served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ashmore.

Dancing Teacher in Seattle

Miss Wynne Shaw is in Seattle today at the invitation of Seattle Chapter No. 8 of the National Association of Dance and Affiliated Artists Inc. as a guest faculty teacher at an all-day dancing session. Dancing teachers will be given lessons in the morning and in the afternoon advanced students will have classes. Miss Shaw is accompanied by Miss Mary Spilbury who will demonstrate in classes in ballet and character dancing.

Christening at Sooke

At a christening ceremony in Holy Trinity Church Sooke this afternoon Rev. H. M. Bolton will baptize the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Gains Heather Louise. Godparents for the child are Mrs. Kenneth Gains her uncle Mr. William Stephenson and Mr. Stevenson. Among the guests at a tea after the service will be the paternal grandparents Mr. and Mrs. William L. Gains and the maternal grandparents Mr. and Mrs. William Hanger recently returned from England.

Betrothal Announced

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Sparling of Swartz Bay formally announced the betrothal of their only daughter Carol Jane to Mr. John B. Bruk son of Mrs. Bruk and the late Mr. Kuzma Bruk. The marriage will take place on December 20 at 3 o'clock in Holy Trinity Church Patricia Bay with the Rev. Roy Melville officiating. The bridal attendants will be Miss Dawn Thomson of Vancouver and Miss Dawn Planta of Tacoma, cousin of the bridegroom. Mr. John Tascoe will be best man and ushering will be Mr. Edward Planta, Jr. and Mr. Dan Kermode.

At Ontario Wedding

Victoria's attending the wedding of Miss Diana Sandford and Lieut. J. F. Watson at Long Branch Ont. were the groom's parents Mr. and Mrs. John H. Watson Mrs. Ernest McCubbin and Lieut. Cindy and Mrs. Charles A. Hamer of Hamilton Ont. and Victoria. The groom's sister Miss Gail Watson of Montreal was also a guest.

Monica Ashby Honored

Bride-elect Miss Monica Ashby was honored by her co-workers in the interior economy branch of 'E' Division Headquarters, RCMP at an informal gathering at the guest of Miss Jean N. Smith 524 Victoria Avenue. The honor guest and her aunt Miss L. A. Ashby received corsages, and Miss Ashby was presented with a gift of silverware. Those present were Mrs. E. Allan, Mrs. John Wright Mrs. C. Goldsmith, Mrs. F. Kirker Mrs. P. Conley, Mrs. E. Derbshire, Misses Kay Morris, Brenda Moore, Margaret Cresswell, Beverley Easler and Florence Scrimshaw.

Palsy Clinic WA Planning Party

The first meeting of the new and Mrs. K. Stone, physiotherapist of Women's Auxiliary in posts. Miss M. C. Mackay, the Cerebral Palsy Clinic was speech therapist and Miss Helen Beattie occupational therapist who spoke on the various aspects of the work being done at the Cerebral Palsy Clinic.

Guests included members of the clinic outlined the history of the clinic and some of its future plans.

The Auxiliary will sponsor a Christmas party for the children of the clinic and their families. Start this afternoon, December 18, in the Victoria Hospital canteen.

General convener was Mrs. F. Dohne and guests were welcomed by Mrs. H. M. Bolton. Mrs. K. Nelson was in charge of receipts.

Mrs. R. B. Jenkins and Mrs. H. E. Hubbard poured tea and assisting at tea tables were Mrs. J. Jennings, Mrs. R. S. Gray, Mrs. G. Nelson, Mrs. N. McCreight and Mrs. J. Hodge.

In charge of stalls were Mrs. L. Evans, Mrs. Chris Rhode, Mrs. A. J. Duggan, Mrs. W. Brusseau home cooking, Mrs. G. F. Wren church calendar and photos, Mrs. W. Hawkins, superfluities, Miss Hilda Glyde books, and Mrs. E. Clapham, Queen Elizabeth's cake recipe.

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At the Beachcombers' Ball



Pirates, Arab sheiks, danced with Turkish ladies and Spanish dancers at the Beachcombers Ball at the Royal Victoria Yacht Club last evening. The popular annual event was well attended and original costumes caused a great deal of merriment as usual.

Pictured above, from left to right, Mrs. Don McNeill, señorita, Mrs. Pat Nickells, harem lady; Mr. Eric Dowell, Hawaiian beachcomber; Mrs. Robert Stark, Queen Neptune; Mr. Gordon Nickells, an Arab, and Mrs. Eric Dowell, Hawaiian beachcomber.

Marilyn Briers Bride Of Mr. Arthur Sandvik

Tall standard baskets of white chrysanthemums and greenery softly lighted by tapers in glass holders formed an interior setting in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, last evening for the marriage of Margaret Marilyn daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Briers of 1151 Fairways Street and Arthur Sandvik son of Mr. and Mrs. John Sandvik Vancouver.

Organist Mr. C. C. Warren played softly during the wedding ceremony performed by Rev. Edgar Foreman and Mrs. Kay Paulin sang. The Lord's Prayer as the bride arrived at the altar and "I Promise" Me during the signing of the register.

Guests were conducted to pews marked with white wedding bells tied with white and silver ribbon by Mr. Charles Briers brother of the bride and Mr. Wyndham Thomas brother in law of the groom.

The charming bride chose a cocktail length gown fashioned with strapless lace bodice and skirt of sheer appliqued net flowing out over crisp taffeta over which she wore a lace roding to tie with Elizabethan collar high point sleeves and scalloped edges tapering to the hemline. Her waistlength veil was held by a cluster of net entwined with pearls, and she wore the groom's gift of pearls. Something old was a two-edged handkerchief while pink rapture roses and stephanotis formed her bouquet.

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The Liard—Forgotten River of B.C.

By R. M. PATTERSON

OUT of the Yukon Territory and across the border into Northern B.C., almost 850 miles N.W. of Victoria, flows one of the great rivers of the Northwest. It winds eastward across B.C. for about 300 miles, picking up big tributaries like the Dease, the Kechika and the Fort Nelson, and then it turns its back on this province and flows north into the Northwest Territories, headed for the Mackenzie and the Arctic. It has had many names, but today it is called the Liard from the great abundance of cottonwoods along its banks.

The Alaska Highway parallels the Liard on the north for the first 120 miles of its course through B.C. Then the road crosses to the south bank and swings away into the mountains up Trout River, while the Liard plunges into a series of wild canyons, known collectively as "The Grand Canyon of the Liard," some of them impassable to any craft and others only to be attempted by a crew of skilled canoe men—none of them traveled today.

Tragic Names

The names and notations on the map of the stretch of the Liard tell their own story—Devil's Portage (3½ miles)—

Rapid of the Drowned—Hell Gate Whirlpool Canyon—Portage Brûlé—Fort Halkett (abandoned) rapid, navigable, dangerous. Even the riffles and the whirlpools are marked on R. G. McConaughay's map of 1890

—and they tell the story of the exploration of the Liard by the Hudson's Bay Company in the great days of the fur trade, when men like John McLeod and Robert Campbell made their way up the Liard against its wild waters and driving current to discover the source and the Yukon River. As a result of their efforts a line of posts was established from Fort Simpson at the mouth of the Liard by way of Campbell's Portage and the Pelly River to Fort Selkirk on the Yukon, but eventually this line of travel had to be abandoned. Too many lives and cargoes were lost in the whirlpools of the Liard and the vagabonds of the company men who were not easily scared did all in their power to get themselves exempted from the severity of the West Branch of the Mackenzie, as the Liard was often called. The river, as a route to the Yukon was abandoned and goods were sent to the northward over the Peel River portage.

The Partners

Then came Robert and his partner McConaughay wandering up the Liard in 1871 and 1872. These two men discovered the Cassiar goldfields on the Dease River and so turned off the Liard to follow the trail of the miners north. The two men turned north towards the Yukon by wide spread showings of fine gold. They passed on and the silence fell again in the canyon country. McConaughay in his report commented on the great numbers of moose, bear and beaver between the Devil's Portage and Hazelton. He also described that stretch of river as a narrow ground between the Liard to east and west of the mountains and all a city of refuge for the game. It still is today, but the Alaska Highway has passed it by, in fact the peace of that situation has only once been seriously disturbed by the Klondikers, the men of '98 and '99, of whom told the writer that his party passed round the northern spurs of the Rockies by traveling the canyons of the Liard on the winter

An Experiment

Not only had we these various objectives but the trip itself was an experiment. You can play safe on a fast river or try to be traveling in a heavy lumber built river boat and there are various designs. Or you can invest in a freight canoe of my size from 19 feet to 25 feet a three or four a four foot six inch beam or even up to 62 inches. This is done so you can go upstream against the current of the stream, you need a large one and it needs more gas and that means more weight to shove against the current. And it goes on like that in a circle until it is the old story of the dog team in wartime, whose pay out is limited by the amount of frozen fish that has to be carried having defined the distance to be traveled and the presence or absence of supplies along the route.

There were no trading posts on the Upper Liard where we were going and we didn't want to be burdened with a clumsy



The Author



New country and a great river flowing out of it's canyon above Hell Gate looking west. Northern Rockies.



The author's canoe on the Liard



Camp on the South Nahanni River, N.W.T. Nahanni Butte from the west.



The Beaver Dam Rapid — Lower Rapids of the Liard near Fort Simpson, N.W.T. The Liard here is a mile wide.



Hell Gate, Liard River — looking downstream



The Liard winding away northward towards Fort Simpson and the Mackenzie (from the Butte)



Lower Liard. Lower rapids of the Liard near Fort Simpson, N.W.T. Taken from a site of the nine mile river.



Hell Gate on the Liard—Looking west, upstream. The 20-foot canoe down on the water gives scale.



A wildcat oil well in B.C.'s northern wilderness. River freighters at Central Lakes Toad River site on the Liard

Price on Nose Of Sea Lions— Pests of Seas

By GEORGE NICHOLSON

COMPARED with the seals which inhabit the northern hemisphere, those living down under "live the life of Riley." Sea lions and hair seals are the only two species which frequent our coastal waters all the year round. Other members of the seal family are to be found in Alaska and the Polar regions. On account of the enormous amount of salmon eaten or destroyed and the damage caused to fishing nets, a relentless war is continually waged against them. Individual fishermen shoot them on sight and if they can recover them before they sink, they receive a bounty on the noses. The fisheries department also sends out organized parties to raid their breeding grounds, where hundreds are slaughtered every summer.

Various attempts have been made to utilize the meat and hides but so far without success. A few months ago a shipment of salmon meal from the Scott Islands off the northern tip of Vancouver Island was landed at Vancouver. The consignment went to a mink food manufacturing plant but as no further shipments have been brought in, the enterprise evidently proved unprofitable for the hunters.

Hides have also been brought in from time to time but never found a satisfactory market. Not only are seals difficult to dress, round the point of expense of protecting the mink but no skin was in the Pacific Coast.



A female elephant seal and her young on the Macquarie Islands in the sub-Antarctic. Below is the vicious sea leopard.

International Pelagic Sealing Treaty

Great quantities of hides and meat therefore goes to waste, but to save the salmon the slaughter must continue in the hope that sooner or later some profitable use might be made of the whole carcass.

FUR BEARERS

Only the fur-bearing seal is protected by law and stiff penalties await anyone found interfering with them during the annual spring migration to the shore more than defrays the cost of the protection of the mink. Under the terms of the Interna-

tional Pelagic Sealing Treaty the seal family is to be found in the Macquarie Islands off the coast of the American coast and the Canadian fishery service held them past the Washington and British Columbia coasts.

The American government administers the regulations and a predetermined number are killed every year. The proceeds from the sale of furs is divided between the two countries on a pro rata basis and Canada's share is usually hunted individually.

BIG FELLOW

The bull is twice as large as the sow and without exception on the back of the hump is mounted. The only mark of the sow is a white patch on the tail. The long curved tail is energetic be-

cause of the constant wagging of the tail over the back. However, the sow is typically wren-like and the tail is easily identified as such.

In British Columbia this is a summer visitor to the southern parts of the province. May, raising its young and departing again in late August to winter in the coastal hills of Mexico.

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The long hours

A SHORT SHORT STORY BY DON EAGLE

Clay Morgan sat near the window in a front seat of the rumbling bus. He sat stiff and quiet, his body like a statue. Small lumps of muscle alternately knotted and relaxed below his high, hard cheek bones. Grey eyes looked through and beyond the swiftly passing countryside. He didn't see the small villages, the green meadows, the rolling hills.

Clay leaned forward as the bus rolled to an other stop.

"Driver," he asked, "how much longer before we get to Cleveland?"

The uniformed man smiled cheerfully at the lean passenger with the prematurely greying hair and pale face. Accustomed to cataloguing his passengers, the driver didn't miss the significance of the heavy, new blue serge suit. His reply was friendly.

"About three hours, mister. This is Halfway House, a ten-minute rest stop."

Clay Morgan leaned back, lost in his thoughts.

Sitting there, Clay thought of his life with Mildred, the business partnership with Warren Shelton. What a blind fool he'd been! Unuspecting, he had missed the little signs that should have warned him of many things. Warren had framed him, after FIA applications after Clay had signed them and cashed the increased Federal cheques under company endorsement. Clay, as company president, was arrested and jailed.

Mildred's instant rejection and suit for divorce left him stunned. The City Prosecutor moved swiftly with the wave of public resentment against GI fraud. The fact that Clay was a veteran seemed to make circumstances more damning. He was quickly tried and sentenced to prison. Mildred and Warren were married the following week. Only then had Clay fully understood.

Clay was remembering Mildred's full red lips. The lips that had demanded a larger house, a bigger car, a more luxurious fur coat. Lips that pouted and gradually turned cold for Clay's income from the growing business was necessarily small.

Clay shifted his body in the cushioned seat. One hand gripped the cold metal object in his

coat pocket. His fingers clenched around the rough handle.

Once she waited for me, Clay thought. Now the soft arms caress Warren and they share the long hours.

He knew all about the long hours. Lying on his narrow bunk through the hot summer nights, the smell of bodies heavy in the steel and concrete compartments, he had lived each second of the long hours. On winter nights when he had reached for warmth that wasn't there and felt the cold wall pressing against his side, he had lain awake through the never-ending stretch of the long hours.

Clay took a step forward. Now he could pour out his hate; laugh at them as they had laughed at him, knowing he was caged and they were free. His eyes searched Mildred. Her features seemed changed somewhat, coarsened.

"Don't do it, Clay," she pleaded. "I'll leave Warren. It was all his fault, his idea. I didn't want things to happen that way." Clay's narrowed eyes remained hard.

Mildred came closer, as if to touch him, sure of her old ability to sway him. "I've got some money, Clay. We can—" The mixture of disgust and loathing she saw on his face cut off her words.

Clay Morgan looked closely. Had he ever loved this woman? He shifted his attention to Warren, remembering how he had imagined his lists making a pulp of the cuning face.

Some quality he saw in Warren's eyes made Clay stop suddenly. The deep lines of worry, the harassed expression, were somehow reminiscent. Guilt and fear were on Warren's face, but something else. Something almost like relief at Mildred's words.

A new realization began to work through Clay. Nothing to envy existed here. Mildred and Warren were the same frustrated look he had seen so often in prison. Standing there with the gun cocked, Clay took another step forward and said slowly, in a measured voice:

"You both have nothing to fear from me—ever."

Clay turned then and walked from the house until he came to the edge of the lake. He drew back his arm and sent the revolver far out over the water. The sound of its splash drifted back a faint whisper. Clay laughed and looked at the sky, noticing for the first time how bright and close the stars were. He breathed deeply of the fresh, sweet air, the air that had lost something vital in moving over the stone walls of prison. He laughed again and fingered the three pennies in his pocket.

It was good to be alive.

"Clay." Wh—Mildred's voice cracked, her

face blanched. Warren's body went limp, his features ashen.

Clay stood motionless. There was no hurry after four years of waiting. He remembered how he had lain awake, wondering how they would act at this moment.

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Guilt and fear were on Clay's face as Clay sat in the gun. Don Eagle's wood photo

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This Week's Profile

By G. E. Mortimore

To a person confined in a wheelchair, little troubles assume giant proportions. Fred Blakeneys, for instance, couldn't get his socks on.

Fred had defied crippling muscular dystrophy to become a commercial artist with a good business, but he couldn't get his socks on without a struggle as big as an hour.

So he commissioned his friend, machinist Elmer Ackerman, to design a simple gimmick from a strap and pair of pliers, to hook on the sock and hold it tight, giving the man a grip which his weakened fingers and arms could not provide.

Merely by banding together, handicapped persons get a feeling of comradeship which helps them face the world.

Some other matters to be tackled are appliances—individual needs vary—and housing. Fred hopes that he will eventually see non-profit housing units designed especially for the handicapped, with wide doors for wheelchair and convenient furniture.

Most important of all, there is the need to teach skills and find jobs for the handicapped so that they can pay their way and keep their self-respect.

Severely handicapped persons can and do work at useful trades. They are just as proficient and more conscientious, on the average than fellow citizens who have the use of all limbs. United States Bureau of Labor statistics, for instance, show absten- tiveness among handicapped workers to be almost nil.

"When they are given a job they know they have to prove themselves or work," says Fred Blakeneys. "So they go at it with enthusiasm."

JOBS FOR MANY

Victoria has many handicapped persons doing man-sized jobs. Mary P. Humphreys, a wheelchair case, who fashions high speed cutting tips for tool steel at Kenametal Ltd.; blind boat-builder Art Barnes, currently building school blackboards for a department store with the use of only one hand; Bert Hall, paralyzed war veteran who winds armatures for Ashcroft Electric; leather craftsman Hudson Blake; watchmaker Bill Badky of Esquimalt and chisel, Farmers Henry and Elmer Oliver of Langford.

PEOPLE ALONE

Many of them were huddled in their bare rooms, afraid to face the world. At the first meeting of the league, a girl who could use only one arm burst into tears from shyness when she was spoken to.

Some time later, when the league had taken over the Sunshine Camp at Langford for a week, the same girl was sun-browned and happy, laughing and enjoying herself.

Crippled children were to have been over the camp for one week but one of the parents looked over the cabins, noted that they had steps leading into them, and shook his head. "With steps, they will never do," he said.

The league had short ramps built into the cabins, and the problem was solved. Many of the difficulties confronting the handicapped are just as small and just as easy of solution as providing the people have the will to work them.

The first task in aiding the handicapped was to organize them and take into account different degrees of disability. Fred



FRED BLAKENEY

At his time Fred acquired a love of the sea which never left him.

He sailed to Australia and New Zealand, diligently studying navigation and other subjects.

But one day in Vancouver the captain called him into his cabin and told Fred with regret that his seagoing career was over. His work had been fine but that weak arm was beginning to show.

SEA LIFE ENDS

The Canada Shipping Act, originally said that no disabled crewman could go to sea. And Fred was disabled. There was no question of that. The dilemma, as yet, had not been given a name, was on its slow march through the body.

Fred gradually hung around the wharves for a time, varying, living for a sea job. With a doctor's certificate of medical fitness, he was able to get a job as a deckhand on a freighter.

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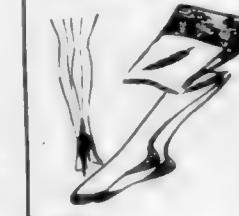
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How To Save Time, Work, Money



A practical addition to the modern household is an up-to-date home freezer. It makes possible bulk purchases, reduces the time spent in shopping and is a particular pride and joy.

Freezers Pay Way

Baby, it's cold inside a home freezer! And that intense and miraculous cold is a gift more precious than gold to any woman. Best of all to budget-wise husbands and wives, it's a present that—in terms of money saved—doesn't cost a penny to give and to have through the long years of its faithful and fabulous service. A recent survey reported that 92 per cent of the families who have owned a freezer for five or more years said "it paid its way in money saved or added convenience."

Today's housewife doesn't need statistics to prove the benefits of a home freezer. She can be whipped up for in advance knows it saves her time, step of the morning bell and money every busy day of chores made everything wrapped and ready for the young steps when they leave for school.

Leftovers need never never go to waste or be served day after day, till they spoil the family's taste for them you can store them for weeks in your freezer serve them when there's a novelty again.

SAVING ON FOOD BILLS

With a home freezer you not only save on shopping time and meat preparation but you can actually save enough on food bills to pay for the freezer itself. It's estimated that the average family wastes 10 per cent of its budget on food spoilage and waste. That's banished forever with a home freezer.

For the gift of a lifetime give her a home freezer this Christmas. You can choose from models and sizes to fit every family's needs, every type of home, every budget. It's the gift that does as much for the giver as the receiver. The master of the manor eats better and spends less, the ladies of the larder shop less and saves more.

On our own coasters, the most discerning fisherman caught fish stuck on the ice beside their fish. They froze and stayed fresh indefinitely. Of course, they had the inescapable advantage of dwelling in a region which has a home freezer in its latest sense.

Modern housewives don't have to live in one to derive a bountiful benefit. In recent times methods of canning and dehydration were found effective but these change the character and flavor of foods.

KEEP FOODS FRESH

Until now the preparation and serving of fresh foods had to be a "hand-to-mouth" matter. Homemakers had to shop almost every day because except through ordinary household refrigeration they had no way to keep foods truly fresh. The home freezer changed all that. It keeps fresh foods at their peak of flavor for weeks months even years.

A home freezer "freezes" from the medium of three times daily food preparation and frequent whatever the weather shopping. With it, she can prepare meals in advance ready for cooking or completely cooked—and keep them until needed, hours or days later.

Then, just before mealtime she can pop them into the oven and have them ready to serve in minutes piping hot, done to perfection with all their fresh flavor, minerals and vitamins.

LESS SHOPPING

The homemaker or hostess can plan her shopping trips at her own sweet convenience, cut them to one a week or a month and save money by buying foods in quantity when plentiful and low in price.

Her freezer will store them with all their goodness retained until the moment she wants them for her menu. And she can prepare enough pies, cakes

Stove Signal Handy

Mrs. Canada is spending less time in the kitchen than ever before, since the electric timer on her range took over her pot-watching chores. The most enjoyable part of her new found freedom, many housewives agree is her ability to share in the family's pre-meal relaxation with her mind at ease. For she knows that a sure-to-be-heard impossible-to-ignore signal will tell her when her meal requires her personal attention.

Yet Canada's range manufacturers are making life easier and more enjoyable for the average housewife. Working closely with the electric timing industry, they now offer ranges with built-in timers that give as much freedom as the housewife demands or her budget permits.

READY TO SERVE

Modern electric timers run the gamut from models that automatically turn an oven on or off at pre-selected times to ones that merely signal when the meal is ready to serve.

Telechron electric timers for electric and gas ranges place major emphasis on telling the time of day and/or signaling. One popular Telechron electric timer, for example, performs three functions. It automatically signals at the end of any pre-selected time between one minute and one hour. Its buzzer keeps sounding for five minutes or until it is turned off automatically.

of those devoted to gardening, fishing or hunting. Mrs. Gar Taylor, 1531 Jubilee, puts away meat packages, the spoils of a successful hunting trip shared with her husband.

Meat Varies In Keeping

The average homemaker might find it profitable to take a lesson from her butcher on how long unfrozen meats can be stored in the regular food compartment of her new Christmas gift refrigerator without spoiling or losing quality. Contrary to popular belief, the refrigerator "storage life" of all types of meat is not the same.

The safe storage period of certain types of meat can vary as much from two to four days if kept in the regular food compartment of the refrigerator.

Refrigerator experts urge homemakers to freeze as much as possible for long storage periods. A good general rule to follow they declare is when

the meat is to be stored to double the time.

Some of the more perishable meat items, such as veal and lamb, have an even shorter storage life. The average storage time for lamb was two days and for veal from two to six days. A rib roast of beef showed that it could be safely stored for over ten days. The safe refrigerator storage period for lamb and veal was about six days as far as chops and steaks were concerned. How ever veal kidneys had a safe storage life of only about two days. Approximate safe storage times for other meats in a safe period for fresh, unfrozen chicken seven to nine days; ham was about four days; sausage, seven days; dabs while beef steak stored in chops three to five days; the same refrigerator had a safe storage life of about eight days ham, twenty-five days, dabs. Thus the homemaker need bacon twenty-five days.

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Hard Work Gone From Wash Day

There's hardly a man or woman now alive in Canada any way who still remembers the quaint old custom of taking the clothes down to the side of a rushing stream to wash them, flailing them lustily against smooth stones to beat the imbedded dirt out. Even grandmas bending painfully over her battered tub to scrub-a-scrub-scrub is a faded memory to most of us. All these primitive methods of washing clothes are dim folktales now, roseate with the tender charm of ancient history and softened by the glow of the passing years.

But, for the luckless lasses whose toll removed the soul of wash day, it was hard and heavy work. To days wises blessed with the magic of a new clothes washer have a modern gift of the Magi. Give the lovely lady this dream come of an appliance and you give her leisure, more comfort, more convenience, more relaxation. Present her with a new clothes washer and you give her health, less fatigue, less strain, less tension. It's the most thoughtful gift of all because it's the most useful gift of all.

The 1955 clothes washers are beautiful, practical and sensible. Not merely in the mundane matter of price alone, either, although they give so much for so little, but in the day-in-day-out thrill of saving money on laundry bills. Here is the gift even a man can see makes dollars and sense.

MYRIAD OF MARVELS

The story of the new washers makes thrilling reading to the wise wives who want to read and follow every word in the service manual provided by the maker. You can be as much

of an expert on your machine as the spouse of the house is on his. And it's a rarity of a party who asks her husband to meander through the instructions. When you know your washer like a book, you'll spare yourself anxious moments of fretting about a tumble as the clothes tumble.

You yes, you will be able to diagnose many a malady of the machine and decide whether to attempt simple self-prescribed home remedies or send for the

doctor in the form of a service man. Nine times out of ten the fault will lie with you and not with the washer. Even if you fancy yourself a mistress much more clever, tamper with the timer and switch assembly, the motor, the pump or any other vital part that's the heart of the appliance. That's the service man's forte, strictly verboten, for the self-taught.

WASHERS WON'T SHIRK

The fortunate female of the species who receives a washer for Christmas will soon know what bliss it is to sit and take it easy while that amazing machine gets her clothes clean. It can turn your washables blue then bleach them, starch them.

But like everything mechanical, your washer will do its job well only if you use it correctly and give it the care it deserves. First of all, get to know your washer the way the men of the service teams about this new model do. Learn about its new controls. Does your washer have the correct power? It should be plugged into an outlet that is not supplying current to any other electrical equipment. And never, but never, use an extension cord! Does the machine wobble or vibrate? It will if your laundry is unbalanced. Load a heavy article like a rug or pillow can cause this because it doesn't reach around the tub. Put in an equalizing object to compensate. Also check the leveling adjustment. Most washers have it. Don't let these better performance pointers faze you; your washer is a treat, and probably will never need treatment.

WASH DAY PLAY

You can save time and effort by having all your laundry supplies handy before you tackle the wash. It's a good idea to have a convenient shelf nearby to hold soaps, detergents, water softeners if your water is hard, starch, bleach, bluing, measuring cup or spoon. Sort your wash by dividing into two piles.

Whites colored things. Sort the two piles by fabric. Cotton requires a longer cycle and higher water temperature than wool, rayon acetate and the minute fibres. Load with care using a scale if each piece moves freely through the water during the washing process you have loaded properly. Trial and error will banish the terror of overloading. When your washday is over, leave the machine in apple pie order so it will be ready for the next time you try your wings on the family's things.

When the house is hung with holly, nothing could make a woman more jolly than the gift of a washing machine. For Christmas she won't forget remember "her" with this housekeeping aid whose luxury will never fade.

Even the daintiest onions can be dried in your dryer. Use the lowest temperature setting and take them out when they're still slightly damp just after a few minutes in the machine. Hang them up and by the time your makeup is properly in place they're ready to wear anywhere. Snowballs take time to dry dry, but, with a dryer, you can have daughter's or son's ready to wear by the time the youngster wants to go out and romp in the snow again. Finger-press the seams for added smoothness. It's that easy! Blue jeans, Christmas and for many Christmases to come. And if you wear work clothes

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On the Labor Front

Governments Face Sharp Criticism

BY BILL MAYOR

The B.C. Federation of Labor's conference convention January 8 and 9 at Vancouver is expected to have harsh criticism for federal and provincial governments. The delegates of all 100 local unions in B.C. will be gathered together at a meeting at a time when winter weather will be so severe that many may be at work. There is no question that the discussion of the present is the discussion of the past. The conference will be a meeting of disgruntlement, and will be used to highlight the federal and provincial governments' effects on our unions and the recording of notes regarding the George Howe federal budget.

All up for debate will be the topics of the threatened strike of employees, responses to government's attack on the present, and the sympathies of a provincial government to the aims and objectives of our unions.

A. W. R. Cameron of the University of British Columbia's law faculty has been appointed to the federal budget of the year. He will be in Victoria with VMDW, Federal and Provincial and Yarrow Ltd., Imperial Oil, Esso, the Victoria and Pacific oil barons, and the David Rockefeller group.

Calgary, Brantford, and the south are sympathetic to the union's demands. M. M. M. Escombe will represent the employers.

Unions concerned with the effects of the proposed legislation from the federal government are

hitting a 20 per cent. production quota to encourage the government to increase its own demands. A per cent. of production quota is proposed by the federal government.

The Metal Trades Council of Vancouver and Victoria

More Men Taken On By Chrysler

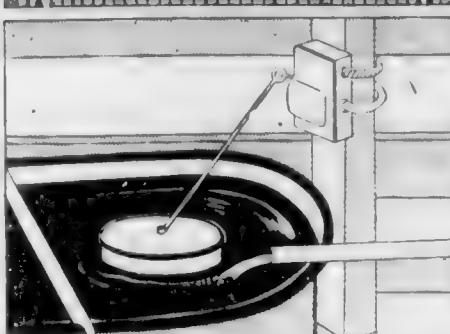
WINDS. Ont. (CP) - Chrysler Corporation of Canada Limited announced yesterday that the employment of an additional 2,000 production workers will be immediate. The company said the production of 100,000 cars more than 60 per cent. of the former daily rate.

The new employees will be based in Moncton, where the corporation's present plant will start operating 16 two-shifts, 10 hours.

C. R. Ross, chairman of the ad interim president of the company, said the additional workers will be taken on at the rate of 100 a week.

He said the company's

FENCE LINES



Stock tank control. Electrified switch on stock tank turns electric tank on and off. Float is bolted to an 18" rod and welded to switch mounted on post. Ground wire fastened to stock tank and windmill tower protects livestock.

Independents Caught In Battle of Giants

TO FIGHT AGAINST THE GIANT, the independent oil companies of the Pacific Northwest have joined forces.

Mr. Harry Young, editor of the *Victoria Colonist*, has been appointed to the executive committee of the Pacific Northwest Oil Producers Association.

Mr. Young, who has been a member of the executive committee of the Pacific Northwest Oil Producers Association since 1948, will be the first president of the new association.

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Controversial Financial Topic

Towers Episode Unexplained

BY HARRY YOUNG

Colonist Business Editor

The controversial financial topic of the past week has been the resignation of Graham Towers from the governorship of the Bank of Canada.

People have been asking Mr. Young, who was appointed to the position, to explain the reason for the resignation.

Mr. Young has said that

and more of Canada's debt is with the Bank of Canada, when a few years ago it was paid off savings bonds issued by the Canadian government.

This debt was repaid by the Canadian government to the Bank of Canada.

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Ventures Capture City Title

A 25 yard touchdown pass to a quick receiver, Chuck Thomas, to tag Jim Davis as the B.C. Lions' Ventures, a team from Victoria, beat 11-7 victory over Royal Roads, and the team from the far west, fourth of championship at B.C. Lions' Field yesterday.

Royal Roads, which won the B.C. final, appeared to have the championship wrapped up late in the fourth quarter when quarterback Earl Law, who passed a record touch-down record that gave the vaders a 7-5 lead.

TOOK TO AIR

In the happy Ventures' victory, Ventures' out of a single wing and the Royal Roads' defense, confused with the surprise, had to go to the air in the final two minutes after the vaders gained possession of the ball and own 47-yard line.

Two passes to John McLean, a third penalty against the vaders and a short 20 yard run, the 26-10 final, put Ventures on the Royal Roads' 15 with only three plays remaining. Thomas lined a strike to Davis and passed for the extra point as a couple of Ventures' supporters roared out on the field to meet the players.

RUGGED TACKLING

It was one of the best games seen here this season, a tie between the two, and with in three teams tested furiously right down to the wire. There were many good plays, but the rugged tackling and hard hitting, too, may be best terms describing the game.

Ventures' exchanged the forces for the best part of the game, and Royal Roads' tried to cross the mid-field, stay in the second and third quarters, then pushed down to the 10 yard line in the first quarter when Royal Roads' Law had a single and then a first third en-gain mid-way through the final quarter.

Spurred on by the cheers of their supporters Royal Roads' caught fire as Law completed three passes to Bain, the last one a 20 yard heave into the end zone. During that march, the vaders picked up four of their total of 11 first downs.

LOGAN SCORES

Ventures' got their opening touchdown in the first three minutes of play when fullback Gary Logan took a handoff from Thomas and rammed 50 yards through the middle. However, Logan, a powerful runner who sparked the winners in the early going, injured his leg and his effectiveness was reduced for the rest of the game.

Taking over most of the running, though, was Norm Edgecombe, who starred both often and effectively. Bain played a stirring two-way game for Royal Roads while Doug Brown and Law made several nice runs.

Canadian Scottish Teams Shatter Eagles' Streaks

Canadian Scottish teams in the Lower Island, Junior and Juvenile Football Association, Division III and IV, Division IV, and Division V, all recorded upset victories over previously undefeated Eagles, Sunday to feature a full schedule.

Tag-Team Bout Called Draw; Slate Rematch

An Australian tag team match that featured a four-bout professional wrestling card at the Victoria Fieldhouse, last night, was ended in a foul with the Victoria, Wash., referee, in an over ruling, referee decision and calling the match a draw.

Mr. N. X. (the now masked manager) and Tazza Zumba were awarded a decision over Gino Angelo and Angus Scott by referee Mike Belton. Angelo and Zumba were stunned by a head-on collision and Mr. N. took advantage of the situation to lay his prostrate partner on top of Angelo.

Mr. N. X. joined the decision but the wrestling commission stepped in and called it a draw. A rematch has been scheduled.

In other bouts, Mr. N. defeated Scott, Angelo defeated Zumba and Victoria's, Dave, Pec and Aristo Demco, battled to a draw.

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Ti-Cats in Goal-Line Stand



Chuck Hunsinger (84), halfback with Montreal Alouettes, is stopped on the Hamilton Tiger-Cats' goal-line early in first game of Big Four playoff at Hamilton. Alouettes won 14-9 to take lead in total-point series and polished

off last year's champions, 24-19, at Montreal yesterday to win Big Four crown and berth in Grey Cup final against Edmonton Eskimos at Toronto Saturday.

Sports Fixtures Today, Tomorrow

BOCCIA

At Victoria and District

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Letters to the Editor

Schools Blamed

People putting the blame on parents for delinquency has caused me to write.

The fact that many people have more money and greater entertainments as compared to those as education and recreation will not go home to an empty house. Daylight saving is to some degree the cause of children getting into delinquent habits, but education? Where are we?

A few years ago someone advocated the education of the intelligent man physical, mental and spiritual, but we have wholly neglected the spiritual education which is a grave wrong to the children.

Evangelistic churches agree to all the fundamentals of Christianity and the should be taught in public schools. The plain Bible is the truth that lifts people whenever it is taught.

The physical needs of teaching did anyone ever see a cat or a sheep teaching its young to take exercise? All babies and youth will take all the physical exercise they need. But we start with the babies to entertain them and we take away their natural desire to amuse them so that they will not work.

This delinquency is a result on the part of us for being steam-ruined and not letting the intelligent man be interested.

Take away the home, cause the child let them take from for real, as in them as their parents did. I have raised a family to be proud of.

ELLEN WALKER
913 Meares Street
Victoria, B.C.

Slap Them Down

Two misguided individuals were asked their psychology is the continuing care for the young wrong doing cause more harm than the known. But I do not think that Langford Community Club is right and respect for the law they now hold with impunity is strongly imposed upon youth we shall have the same but we are not that.

In stead of an answer of simple at smart back answers from the very young a grave report were given and on my repeat a smart slap it would at least save the soul of the person for authority the lack of which starts more a child on the road to delinquency.

I heartily commend the Mainland judge and the editorial of some days ago. Far from being "soft" it is a reminder to think that at least some people have retained their common sense. I hope that will soon extend to those whose of a thought is to shield the young scapegoats from the recompence of their deeds.

Mrs. JULIAN F. HEYWOOD
7201 Ross
Victoria, B.C.

Food for Rescuer

Leo Lynn, who suffered a depressed fracture of the skull on the Charles Langford rescue party on Mr. Armstrong has had his operation the piece of bone having been lifted successfully. Reports from his family say he is doing well.

A fund is underway in the Atheneum Library to help defray expenses. To date November 17, the total stand is \$5,750.00. Chairman for the fund is Art Skips of Alberni and secretary treasurer is Mrs. G. B. Hulme of Port Alberni.

We would be grateful for donations from the citizens of Victoria.

WINNEDER HELEM
Secretary Treasurer for
The Legion Fund
7201 Ross
Port Alberni.

The Poppy Fund

On behalf of the Poppy Fund Committee of the Prince Edward Branch No. 91 Canadian Legion I would like to thank those who gave their time to collect and also to those who contributed to the fund which helped to help the veterans of all the forces in the districts comprising Langford, Colwood, Glen Lake and adjacent areas.

This branch also provides a scholarship for the schools in the district.

GEORGE MACREGOR
For Poppy Committee
RR 1, Langford

McCormick Heiress Leaves \$33,000,000

CHICAGO (AP)—Mrs. Anita McCormick Blome, daughter of Cyrus H. McCormick, developer of the reaper, left an estate of \$33,000,000, an inventory filed in Probate Court Thursday disclosed. A will filed after her death last February 12 at the age of 83, on an estimated estate of \$35,000,000. Lawyers for the estate said the rise in the stock market was partly responsible for the increase.

ASTHMA COUGHS

Most asthmatics have chronic coughs, wheezing, difficult breathing and poor sleep caused by asthma or chronic bronchitis. These are all interlocking with asthmatic bronchitis complicated MENDACC. Over 1 million packages used for the treatment of asthmatics in the U.S. and Canada. Get MENDACC at druggists today to prevent asthmatic nocturnal sleep attacks.

Retail Discounts

An item in the Colonist recently indicates that civil servants presumably tested and provided improves may organize to secure a discount of 25 per cent from the main retail price of commodities.

Commodities for more in Langford, Colwood, etc., are a population approaching 5,000, many of whom in their spare hours lead the life of country sports.

The people of Langford are a mix of the up-to-date business men, loggers in trucks, service personnel, dockyard and

United in Enthusiasm

City Folk Country Squires at Langford

BY ALEC MERRIMAN

Only nine miles from the centre of Victoria the busy little community of Langford serves a population approaching 5,000, many of whom in their spare hours lead the life of country sports.

The people of Langford are a mix of the up-to-date business men, loggers in trucks, service personnel, dockyard and

shipyard workers, retired folk and smallholding farmers.

Although their business interests are poles apart, they have a common interest in the community and the enthusiasm with which community projects are embarked upon is something unique.

The Langford Community Club under its president, Ken Boxton, is now planning to

build playing fields and a recreation centre on property it has purchased behind the community hall, a converted army hut.

Coming city sponsored dances

every Friday and Saturday night are fast heading up profits that will permit a start on that project.

Well advanced now are plans

for the Community Club

Christmas party speed skating rink to be built on the site of the old curling rink.

On September 12, 1954, the Langford Community Club held its first meeting to discuss the formation of a Fire Club. It was started with the help of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce, who met for practice trials at the Victoria Fire Department on Saturday evenings.

In addition to the two fully equipped fire trucks, the Langford Fire Department operates an ambulance service complete with educated and fully qualified first aid men.

A women's auxiliary to the firemen is headed by Mrs. Ron Turner and organizes community projects to raise funds for equipment. The fire hall was built by volunteer labor on property donated by Austin Yates.

In its short life the British Legion Langford Branch, under Fred Walker, has provided a pleasant social atmosphere for the members.

It is the intention of the members of the British Legion to make this summer another swimming success at the lake.

Newest addition to the lake is the Jitter Club, headed by Mrs. W. Miller.

Scouts, Guides, Cubs and Brownies are all active in Langford, with Miss Karen Hunter, Mrs. Mabel Thompson, Miss Margaret Lawrence, Mrs. J. A. Lusk and Miss L. B. E. Butler among those most active in those organizations.

The Prince Edward Legion Branch at Langford is headed by Mr. Lafferty and has a crew on Dunford Road. A Cross Country Club was completed in the site last week.

Langford Senior Legion enrollment of 300 is given new impetus. An Active Parent Teacher Association headed by Mrs. Mrs. D. G. Gardner looks after the interests of the children.

Belmont Junior Senior High school on Station Road was opened this September and since Langford as well as an adjacent area.

The Langford Edward Luxton Badminton Club plays in the Belmont High School gymnasium and has two teams entered in the rink league.

Churches in the district are

St. Matthew's Anglican

Church with Rev. H. J. Jones,

St. Richard's Roman Catholic

Church with Rev. William O'Brien, and the newly built

Baptist Community Church

with Rev. J. A. Stewart.

Rev. H. P. Davidson yesterday

announced that plans have been

approved for construction of a

new United Church at Langford

next to the Kintyre Restaurant.

Cost to start the project will be \$15,000.

There are still plenty of building

sites left at Langford and the

district looks to a real es-

tate boom when the new Trans-

Canada Highway is completed

and much of the dangerous

roads are removed.

A bus service connects the

district with Victoria and

is expected to increase to the

present 100 passengers a day.

Resorts are well scattered

in the various districts.

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Monty Turns Back the Years



Viscount Montgomery relaxes in a classroom of the Hamilton school named Viscount Montgomery School in his honor. He takes his seat at a

desk during an arithmetic class in this unusual photo by Joseph Ballantine of the Hamilton Spectator.—(CP photo.)

Raft's Balsa Logs Settle Deeper into Sea

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down the rivers from the forests to the mills. I had asked advice of sawmill operators and plantation owners, including Henri Kohn, a New Yorker whose Ecuador mills use from 8,000 to 10,000 logs a month and who is known as the "balsa king." The Guayaquil sawmill where I built my raft is probably the greatest in the world.

I had also watched many balsa rafts on the South American rivers as they carried supplies between the small river towns. I had studied the logs used as landing pontoons.

Probably, as I recall it, I had expected some settling. I knew the Kon-Tiki raft had settled some as the logs soaked up water. But this was a good deal of settling, and I could not anticipate how fast the logs were taking in water. What was the cause?

I remembered one of the Ecuadorian woodcutters, an old man wise in the ways of the forests, who took me aside and told me I was cutting my trees at the wrong time. The March moon, as he explained it, was not right. He said this meant the logs would absorb water quickly and perhaps sink under me. After searching the jungle for two months, always in fear of the hurricane season, I was willing to take a chance on ignoring such advice.

Others told me I had selected the wrong kind of balsas, some called machas, or males, are much harder, but heavier, while the banches, or females, are much softer and

more buoyant, but also more liable to break. I had been told that for most heavy river shipping on rafts, banches were generally used. But I wanted the utmost strength. I picked the machas for the heavy seas I expected in the late winter and early spring months when I would be on the Pacific.

My raft design, as I explained the settling of the logs to myself, contained too much mangrove wood. The masts, crossbeams, bowsprit and two centreboards forward were all of mangrove wood—so heavy it sinks in water immediately.

The big foremast and bowsprit were all forward, concentrating weight where the logs were smallest.

Even while lying alongside the dock at Callao the raft looked a trifle down at the head. The natives told me this was ominous and that it was dangerous to have had the raft in the water for three months before I got underway. I knew it was not wise to let the raft soak up water for so long while I made my preparations, but there was the danger of breaking or cracking some of the logs if she were lifted out and put on land. I preferred to leave her in the water.

I remembered wondering while in Callao, if I could do anything to lift the raft's nose. But I concluded there was no way unless I wanted to change the entire design. The best I could do was store my provisions—water, the drums of kerosene and gasoline—as close to the stern as possible. Even so, I left Callao with the head down a few inches. It didn't seem to affect the raft's speed or manoeuverability. But now she had gone down more. Certainly it had been a gradual process, but one to which I had paid no attention before.

I had confidence in the Seven Little Sisters, but nevertheless I had to do some reckoning anew. What would I do if the logs settled much more? This was a question I had to answer now.

Motorists taking the route will be traveling at their own risk. No gasoline is available along the Big Bend, there are no patrols and no snow-plowing is being carried out.

The highway east of Golden is closed daily except Sunday from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Mother, Son Identified

MONTREAL (CP) — Provincial police Friday night described as murder and suicide the deaths of Mrs. Adrien Tessier, 34, and her son, Richard, 3, whose charred and decomposed bodies were found near Sherbrooke, Que.

Lieut. Maurice Valiquette said positive identification had been made from the remains and personal effects found on the scene. The mother and son disappeared July 27 and were the objects of a widespread search last month.

canoe did a great deal to weigh the raft down and make the logs settle deeper. It was also my main hope in case of disaster—which would be upon me, for instance, if the logs sank so far that I couldn't handle the raft any more. This was certainly no quidnunc peculiar to my journey—in which I was testing myself and my philosophy against wind and sea across the empty reaches of the Pacific.

Twenty-six feet long and three feet wide in the centre, the canoe was the kind the fishermen of Ecuador use. Originally it had one mast, but I added a second. And I had covered it with canvas in the bow and stern to keep the waves from swamping it if I had to put to sea in it. In addition, since it had no keel I had prepared two 17-foot-long bamboo outriggers. I always kept supplies on the canoe.

I counted on the canoe for the day a hurricane might catch me up and destroy my raft, or if it was driven onto a reef. Now I would have to depend on it if the settling of my raft went on to a dangerous point. Ironically, of all the items of equipment I might possibly have discarded to lighten the raft, the canoe—my only hope of survival—was being most doing to cause the settling.

I checked the logs once more. In the easy swell I could see how deep they were riding. And I reckoned they would continue to go down. This estimate proved right, for in the 1,300 miles remaining

Big Bend Highway Closed for Winter

CALGARY (CP) — The Big Bend Highway between Golden, B.C., and Revelstoke, has been officially closed, a road information bulletin from the National Parks Department announced yesterday.

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Many Aboard Peru-Seized Whalers

Germans Angry at Attack

HAMBURG (NANA)—There are angry rumbles along the Hamburg waterfront demanding immediate action against the Peruvian navy, which bombed the German crews of Aristotle Onassis' whaling fleet. On street corners and in little waterside cafes, beer drinking and singing has given way to protest meetings.

Speakers standing on the shiny, marble-topped tables stamp their feet and shout, "How dare they bomb German seamen!"

At least 360 Germans are known to have been aboard the Onassis fleet. There are long lines of relatives and friends outside the swank Onassis offices here.

In Bonn, the German government's switchboards are jammed as hundreds of angry Germans want to know what the government is doing about the affair.

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ALL ABOARD

With G. E. Mortimore

ON a dark night, when the rain came hissing in from the lake, I saw a bird at the window. Its small wings were beating at the glass, and it seemed very anxious to get in.

So I cupped my hands and caught the bird, and fetched it into the room, taking care to put the cat out first.

At first it flew wildly around, colliding with walls, ceiling and furniture. Then it got its bearings, and flew from one perch to another with great assurance. It sat briefly on a coat-hanger, then fluttered to a chandelier; sat on the back of an ebony elephant; knocked over a miniature Siamese cat given us as a memento when we lost our live Siamese; took a stance on the edge of a hot stove and quickly abandoned it, and finally settled down to sleep on top of a book.

It didn't stay there long, but was soon off for a new tour of the house. It avoided the dark rooms, staying with the light. It was a junco, I suppose. It was certainly neurotic, and perhaps off its head altogether. The idea that a bird could lose its sanity had never occurred to me before.

The bird spent the night on a shelf in the bedroom. After a search and struggle I captured it next morning and released it through the window, and it flew into the trees.

But when the rain and wind buffeted the house a few nights later, there was the mad bird at the window again. I brought it in, to the delight of the small boy, who shrieked and jumped around, and tried to swat the bird with a little blanket.

But the bird had a convenient picture ledge to sit on, far from the small boy's reach. It hopped along the ledge, and flew from one wall to the other, while the cat watched it greedily through the front window.

After a time the bird even gained enough confidence to peck breadcrumbs. I don't want to encourage it, for fear of the cat. We can't keep the cat at bay forever. But at this moment, the mad bird is still with us. I think it suffers from the delusion that it is a canary. Any suggestions?

Won't the health authorities do something about the unsanitary way that bottled pop is dispensed?

A reader points out that soft drinks are kept standing in not-very-cold water, and a variety of hands dip into the water to fish the bottles out.

When soda-fountain waitress pours a bottle of pop into a glass for you, she often pours several drops of germ soup along with it, for no extra charge.

My friend would rather have his pop served without any bacterial culture to flavor it, if that would be all right.

I am also asked to lodge a complaint about certain lazy mail-collectors. Not all mail-collectors—just some lazy ones.

The people who pick up letters from the mailboxes are supposed to hang a bag under the boxes so that the letters will fall in them.

The lazier mail-collectors don't trouble to use the bag. They leave it in the truck, and collect the letters in their hands.

Recently a mail-collector was observed to lose his grip on a great bundle of letters, which were seized by the wind and blown all over the place. The mailman had to pick them out of the mud.

Canada Halves Census Interval

OTTAWA (CP)—A new national nose count will take place in 1956.

It was disclosed Friday that the government has decided to hold a country-wide census every five years, instead of every 10, and the first five-year count will take place in June, 1956.

In previous years Canada relied on the 10-year census for main statistical guidance, holding the five-year count only on the Prairies.

The decennial census also 1951.

Weather Forecast

November 21, 1954

(Government Forecast)

TODAY

Intermittent rain continuing mild. Winds light becoming southwesterly 20 in the morning. Sunshine yesterday, nil. Rainfall yesterday, .05 inches. Monday outlook, cloudy and mild.

RECORDED TEMPERATURES

High Saturday 50

Low Saturday 47

FORECAST TEMPERATURES

High Sunday 52

Low Sunday 47

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Sunrise 7:30 Sunset 6:22

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Boys Fight for Life of Dying Bird



Three Oak Bay lads found a new use for detergents yesterday when they tried to save the life of one of the 5,000 birds dying from starvation after they were caught in the thick oil scum along Greater Victoria beaches. Oil-soaked duck was washed in suds and fresh water by, left to right, Richard Lewis, Ron

Pinfold and Robert Watt at Richard's home, 2985 Foul Bay Road, and the boys have been feeding it brandy since then to keep it alive. Other people are washing dying birds with margarine before using soap, but only a few are being saved and most of those stricken have been killed. (See Page 19.)

Adrift 6,400 Miles

Sinking Raft New Danger For Voyager

This is the 12th in a series of articles by William Willis, 61-year-old New Yorker who sailed alone on a raft 6,400 miles across the Pacific from Peru to Pago Pago. Today: the raft is getting water-logged.

BY WILLIAM WILLIS

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NEW YORK (NANA)—For several days there had been heavy weather, but now it had eased and I could check something that worried me.

It had been a suspicion that grew into a doubt and then reached a state of real concern. It was a problem that dated back to the time, months ago, when I was searching the jungles of Ecuador for giant balsa trees and talking with the natives about such things as the right moon for cutting and the comparative advantages of machos and hambres.

After the long westerly crossing of the open Pacific, I was now bearing southwesterly, having pivoted around the Marquesas—a significant event. It was now September 15. I was about 130 miles from Flint Island and running into new conditions.

The month had started with a storm, and the fish had vanished gradually from the sea. But as at least partial compensation, I knew that on September 5 I had passed the meridian reached by the magnificent Kon-Tiki expedition of 1947, and still sailing on, had begun to move among the far-flung islands on the long southerly sweep I would make to reach Samoa—1,300 miles away.

Logs Gravest Worry

I went to the bow and looked down at the logs: they were my greatest present worry. I could see them plainly, their slightly pointed ends riding the surface easily. They were covered with green seaweed.

It was as I had feared. They were low in the water; much lower than they should be.

I'd check; perhaps there

Psychiatrist Found Slain

CHESTER, Pa. (AP)—Dr. Elmer Marjorie Langton, 52, a prominent Philadelphia psychiatrist, was found beaten to death Saturday on the floor of her automobile.

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Balsa logs do not plunge to the bottom, of course, so I felt no sudden doubt or fear. But this was something new to reckon with.

I had studied balsa quite thoroughly while searching the jungle for my Seven Little Sisters. I had spoken to many people about the wood's capabilities, especially woodcutters and the balsers—the men who float the logs

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Some Textiles, Chemicals

Ottawa Considers Boosting Tariffs

BY TOM GREEN
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OTTAWA—Serious consideration is being given by the federal government to raising the tariff on a small number of imports to make them less competitive with Canadian-produced goods, it was disclosed last night.

The move hinges on the outcome of discussions now taking place at a meeting of the Gen-

eral Agreement on Tariffs and Trade in Geneva.

Changes would probably be made at the coming session of Parliament and would mark the first time since 1935 that Canada, one of the world's leading trading nations, has raised tariffs to any degree.

Likely to be affected by the change in policy are British woollens, some textiles, ethylene glycol and polyethylene resins.

The glycol is used in the manufacture of anti-freeze, and polyethylene resins in the plastics industry.

Canada has long preached greater trade freedom, but developments over the last year have forced the government to alter its stand.

Among these are mounting unemployment in the textile industry and closing down of a number of plants, an increase in certain foreign goods which are underselling Canadian products, and a growing deficit in Canada's international trade balance.

Estimates place the number of textile workers who have lost their jobs due to shutdown of plants at about 25,000.

ASK PROTECTION

Canadian business men and labor leaders have been appealing for protection from what they claim is unfair competition. Only a week ago the Trades and Labor Congress urged legislation to prevent the importation of goods ordinarily produced in Canada.

The Canadian textile industry last December secured a law by which the government can place arbitrary valuations on imported textiles—mainly American—for tariff purposes.

It is now demanding an outright increase in the woolen tariff to restrain imports from Britain. A test case is now being argued and success by the textile industry would almost certainly be followed by other similar demands.

These changes add up to a new U.S. diplomatic position

which has come about not so much by deliberate choice as by the inevitable march of events which in many instances the United States itself set in motion.

Perhaps the most significant single event in the collection of causes was the death of Soviet dictator Joseph Stalin in March, 1952, and the greater flexibility which developed in foreign policy under the guidance of Premier Malenkov and Foreign Minister Molotov once they were free of Stalin's dominance.

Russia's relative good behavior during the transitional 18 months has reduced fear in many lands even though western leaders say it has not by any means eliminated the dangers of Russian aggression.

U.S. Jets on Way To Trouble Centre

WASHINGTON (AP)—Government officials said Saturday night the United States is flying "around" six jet fighter planes to Panama immediately to be ready in case of an armed attack on neighboring Costa Rica.

The swift U.S. action was taken at the height of rapidly increasing rumors of a plot to overthrow Costa Rican President Jose Figueres.

The U.S. officials hope that this will demonstrate the United States intends to live up to its treaty commitments to keep hemisphere peace and might dissuade any would-be attackers.

By Dulles, Mendes-France

New Soviet Move Quickly Rejected

WASHINGTON (AP)—French Premier Mendes-France and Secretary of State Dulles turned down swiftly Saturday a move by Soviet Foreign Minister Molotov to delay ratification of German rearmament by the western powers. Instead they called for "early ratification" by all the allies before any new conferences with Russia.

Molotov offered to postpone the Russian-proposed all-European conference on collective security if the Western Powers held up ratification on the Paris agreements on rearming West Germany.

He coupled the offer with a warning that the Soviet Union and the "peace-loving European states" would take counter-measures for their own security if the West persists in bringing West Germany into the Atlantic Defense Alliance—a move which he said poses the "threat of a new war."

Dulles and Mendes-France declared themselves against "improvised debates intended mainly for propaganda," an obvious slap at Moscow, but expressed willingness to join in "adequately prepared negotiations" in good faith.

Dulles and Mendes-France prolonged their talks here long enough to have a quick look at news reports of the proposal. They decided there was nothing in it worth serious consideration.

Oakalla Fugitives Tracked by Dog

MISSION, B.C. (CP)—Bobby, an RCMP trail dog, escaped convicts near here.

The two fled the car on foot when they wrecked it against a lamp standard and Bobby was called in.

Captured were Lawrence Corbett and Russell V. Patterson, who escaped from Oakalla prison farm near Vancouver on Thursday.

They dropped from sight until Saturday, when they were spotted in a stolen car at Haney, 15 miles west of here.

Old Harem Hand

Blond Actress Pines for Sheikh

ROME (UP)—Actress Valerie Vernon said yesterday she is anxious to meet the "Little Sheik" from Kuwait who wants to marry a blonde and that Paris or Casablanca would be fine for a rendezvous—just as long as mother comes along.

Millionaire Izzat Gaafar, chief year-old British-American movie actress, with the royal household of oil-rich Kuwait, said recently he was lonesome and is looking for a blonde who will marry him.

"I suggest we meet in Paris or even Casablanca," Miss Vernon said, adding: "Naturally, I will have to be chaperoned properly—that means my mother will come along with me."

Miss Vernon, whose vital statistics are 39-24-37, said she has done so many Hollywood harem scenes that she is sure she could be at home with the lone-some desert sheikh.

"I'll wear a veil," said the 28-year-old hand with desert sheikhs and harems."

"I've played so many harem roles in Hollywood that veil doesn't bother me the least bit. Besides, you only use them to keep other men from getting a good look. Once you're home, the old man whips it right off," she said.

Perfect For Gifts

The Daily Colonist's popular color map of British Columbia may be obtained by subscribers with the order form printed today on Page 31.

Many subscribers are finding the new edition makes a perfect Christmas gift. The order form includes full details of the offer.

Fawn-Colored Monster off Albert Head

Fishermen Get Close-Up Look at Caddy

"When I told my wife we'd seen Cadborosaurus, she started laughing," Jack Daley said last night. "Don't you laugh too. We saw him."

Mr. Daley, who lives at 1640 Edgeware, was dead serious as he told how he and Jack Salter, 116 Menzies, watched Caddy at Albert Head, where they were fishing in a small inboard motor boat.

"It's the first time I've seen anything like it," Mr. Daley said. "I was sitting in the back of the boat and it was coming toward us when I first saw it about 400 or 500 yards away."

I said, "There's a whale." "It bobbed up and down four or five times. As it came toward us I thought it had a head like a shark, sort of a pointed jaw. Its head was about two or three feet wide." "When it turned toward the shore

we got a side view and it looked more like a frog's head in shape, bulgy on top. We were only about 150 feet away the last time it went under."

"It had a thick neck, without much taper from the jaw down."

"If we'd had a camera, we had plenty of time to get a picture." Cadborosaurus didn't drive the fish away. The two fishermen came home with two spring salmon weighing 10 or 12 pounds, five grilse and a cod.